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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

Serial Nos 4 to 29

Part B for August '13

SUBJECT

Sampangi Tank Bangalore City Muni

From the Sany Commr No 2105 & 17 1-4
Invites attention to the Malarious Swamps annually reproduced on the eastern side of the road to the east of the Sampangi Tank in the Bangalore City and to a similar State of affairs in the Sydney Road and suggest the desirability of raising the level of the two tracts by obtaining material from the tank bed and thus deepening the tank

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5. To the President Bangalore City Muni Com
No 4962 of 9-12-09 Requests him to place the Sany Commr's opinion reg the raising the level of the land to the West of Sydney Road and to submit their opinion in the matter and to submit a report reg the Malarious Swamp to the East of the Sampangi Tank

From the Sany Commr No 3162 of 31/1/10 Requests to be informed as to what action is being taken in regard to his suggestion for deepening the Sampangi Tank.

To the Sany Commr No 6898 of 9/2/10 Informs him that the question of deepening the Sampangi Tank and improving the Sanitation of the neighbourhood has been referred to the President of the B City Muni for submission of the Muni Councils views in the matter and that final orders will be passed after the receipt of the Muni. Councils Views in the Matter

6 From the President Bang City Muni. Cl
No 2494 of 21 4 1910

States that the delay in replying to the Govt Refce is due to the preparation of a plan showing the limits of the tank and the portion of the bed leased out yearly for the polo-club- (PTO)

of the Military Deptt that the necessary plan will be prepared as soon as the condition of the tank renders it possible to survey it and that the Councils Resolution would be submitted in due course Also submits the Council's Resolution directing the Health officer to oil the Swamp to the West of the Sydney Road & states that the Malarial Swamp on the eastern side of the Sampangi Tank being within the limits of the B & M Station, the Municipality cannot take action in the Matter

7 To the Sany Commr No 10152 & 9.5.10
Forwards copy of Sl No 6 for information

8 To the First Asst Resident No Pol 9417 & 9.8.1910. Forwards extract of paras 1 & 2 of Sl 4 & requests that the C & M Sth Authorities may be moved to take the necessary action in the matter of the Malarious Swamp on the eastern side of the Road to the east of the Sampangi Tank

9 From the Sany Commr No 5756 & 28/5/10 States that his proposal involves treatment of the entire bed of the Sampangi Tank including the leased portion and that the permanent reservation of the tank for Storage water should not be lost sight of

11 To the President Bangalore City Municipal No 11038 & 29.6.1910 Forwards copy of Sl No. 9 and requests him to take

to take the action reported in Sl.
report the result to Govt

10 From the 1st Asst to the Hon the Resi in Mysore No 3839 of 23 6 1910 Forwards a of letter No 1205 of 6.6 1910 from the Pr. M C & M Station together with its enclosures in the matter of draining the swamp on the E side of the Sampangi Road and requests favoured with the Durbar's views in the

12 To the Pr Bang City Munr, the Dy. Com Bangalore Distt the Chief Engineer & the Sany Commr No 390-3 of 15.7.1910

Forwards copy of Sl 10 for submission of their views in the matter with refce to correspondence which took place in 1906 re the proposal to construct a waste weir to the Tank

From the Sany Commr No 520 of 30/7/19 Requests that the entire file of correspond which took place in 1906 reg the proposal to construct a waste weir to the tank may be thin for perusal & return.

To the Sany Commr No 1388 of 10/8/1910 Forwards for refce & return the files asked for

From the Sany Comm No 1222 of 3/9/'10. States that there are certain points which require discussion in relation to the suggestion to deviate the supply channel and suggests that the ~~two~~ follr officers 1 The Ch Engr 2 Sany Engr 3 Pr. Bang City Munr 4 Sany Commr, do meet

do meet and discuss the question thoroughly on the spot and submit a joint report in the matter

14 To the Sany Commr, the Chief Engineer the Sany ~~Commr~~ Engineer, the Prest Bang City Muni Council and the Supdt of Rev Survey no 2915-9 & 23 9 10 Approves the Sany Commr's Suggestion and requests the above officers to meet & discuss the subject thoroughly and submit a report in the matter.

To the 1st Asst to the Hon the Resident in Mysore No Pol 3590 & 22 10 1910. States that the question of diverting the supply channel of the Sampangi tank has been referred to a Committee consisting of 1 The Sany Commr 2 The Chief Engr 3 The Sany Engr 4 The President Bang City Muni Council and the Supt Mysore Rev & Survey for Submission of a report in the matter and that a further communication would be made on the receipt of their reply

To the Sany Commr No 18 11 10 Enquires when the report called for in Sl 14 may be expected

From the above officer No 2410 & 24 11 1910 Forwards a copy of Chief Engineer's letter in the matter

From the 1st asst Resident in Mysore

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No 120 of 9/1/1911 Em
Commr promised in Pol No 359 maybe ex
Do of 9.1 1911 from the Pr B City Munl
& Dy Commr Bang Dist Forwards copies
D.O Correspondence between him & the
Engineer reg the Sampangi Tank

To the Sany Commr No 6043 of 18/1/
Enquires when the report called for in Sl 14
be expected

15 From the Dy Commr Bang Distt No 3
3 2.1911 States that the question of deepen
the bed of the Sampangi Tank and improv
the Malarial Swamps in its vicinity is
considered by the Bang. City Munl Cl &
~~Chief Engr~~ Ex Engr Bang Dn and that
receipt of their opinion a complete report
be submitted in the matter

From the 1st Asst Resident No 1000 of 21
Enquires how the question of diverting the
supply channel of the Sampangi Tank now

To the Sany Commr No 7462 of 13 3 11
when the report called for in Sl 14 can be expected
and how the matter now stands

To the Sany Commr & the Chief Engineer
Requests them to expedite the submission of the
report called for in Sl 14.

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To the 1st Asst to the Hon the Resident in Mysore No Pol 886 of 5 4 11. States that the Submission of the Report of the Committee is awaited and that urgent reminders have been issued to them to expedite it

From the 1st Asst Resident No 2621 of 2 5/11 Forwards a copy of letter No 516 of 28/4/11 from the Pr of the C. & M Stn Mt Commr regarding Malaria in Sampangi tank area and requests that the Durbar will kindly give their attention to the question and state how the matters stand at present.

To the Sany Commr No 9200 of 10 1911 Forwards copies of the Residency letter and its enclosures and enquires when the report called for in Sl 14 may be expected

From Do. No 5072 of 9/5/1911 States that the matter is still under the Chief Engr Consid

16 From the Chief Engr No 4584 of 25 5 1911 Submits a note reg the question of draining the Swamp on the eastern side of the Sampangi Tank

17 From the 1st Asst Resident No 3296 of 2 6 11 Requests early reply re diversion of the Supply channel of the Sampangi Tank P

To the 1st Asst to the Hon the Resident in M Acknowledges the receipt of his letter No 262, of 2 5 11 and states in reply that the Commn 3 referred to in this previous office correspondence have not yet come to a decision and they have be 0

been asked to submit their report without further delay.

To the Sany Commr no 9985 & 26/11 Invites attention to P no 2915-9 | ml 356-09 & 23910 and requests the submission of the report therein called for without further delay as urgent reminders have been received from the Residency and the delay in the settlement of the question is reported to be prejudicial to the health of the inhabitants in the neighbourhood of the tank

W O no 166 & 16/6/11 from the offg Sany Requests that the plan and estimates forwarded by the Chief Engr to Govt with his note on the subject may be sent to him for refce & return when done with

W O. no 1055-6 & 23.6.1911 to the Personal asst to the Sany Commr Forwards a copy of the Chief Engr's note and states that no estimate was received with the note

From the offg Sany Commr nos 777 & 27.6.1911 Submits his opinion in regard to the Sampangi tank.

14 From the Dy Commr Bangalore Dt No 16 & 12 7 11. Submits his opinion in the matter of deepening the Sampangi Tank and raising the level of the M Swamps to the West of the Sydney Road and to the east of the Sampangi Tank Road

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From the 1st Asst Resident No 4393 & 24 7/11
Requests to be informed as to how the question
of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi
Tank stands at present

19 a To Col H Daly C S I C I E The Hon the
Resident in Mysore D O no 2780 & 14/9/1911
Forwards for perusal and return the Chief
Engineer's Memo & 25 5 11 and certain other
papers reg the question of draining the eastern
portion of the Sampangi Tank by diverting the supply
channel from the limits of the C & M Station
and states that the papers will explain the
difficulties which beset the case

20 D O. letter no 563 & 26.1/12 from the Hon'ble
Resident in Mysore Suggests that the
question of improving the surroundings of the
Sampangi Tank and the apportionment of the cost
be may be suitably discussed by Mr Visves-
waraya & Mr Richards with the assistance
of such Sanitary experts as might be thought
advisable to call in

To M Visweswaraya Esq C I E Chief
Engineer and Secy to Govt P W D Bangalore —
& 2/9/12 Forwards the entire file
of papers ending with the Resident's D O no 563
1/1912 on the subject of improving the S
—pangi Tank (P T O

Sampangi Tank and its surroundings & requests him to discuss the matter further with Mr Richards as suggested by the Resident

20. From Mr Visveswarayya D.O letter 494 of 5th Septr 1912 States that Mr Richards has written to say that the C & M Stn Muni cannot afford to spend money on the work, that if the buildings which have sprung up between the periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently protected the works estimated to cost Rs 12000/ should be carried out; that the cost may be borne roughly in equal proportions by the Municipalities of the City and C.M & Station and the Bungalow owners and that further action may be taken after consulting the Hon the Resident

21. Letter No Pol 317 of 26 $\frac{10}{12}$ to the First Asst Resident. States that after full consideration of the circumstances of the case the Durbar consider that the diversion of the existing feeder channel is not necessary and that if the buildings which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently protected it will be only necessary to confine the storm water to the feeder channel by raising a bank along its length on the eastern side.

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eastern side between Sydney & Sampangi Roads and provide for an escape from the surplus water by means ~~of~~ of a weir and a circular conduit through the bank at the South eastern corner of the tank and that a ready Solution for finding the necessary funds will be to induce the bungalow owners concerned to contribute a third of the cost of the aforesaid work viz Rs 12,000/- the balance being met from the funds of the City & Station Municipalities in such proportion as may be decided upon later on after further discussion and requests the First Asst Resident to ascertain the wishes of the Bungalow owners within the Station limits and those of the Municipality in the Matter

22 Letter No 3256 of 1st Nov 1912 to the President Bangalore City Mund Council Requests him to consult the Mund Council as to the Suitability of the aforesaid proposal as to their willingness to contribute their quota of the cost of the Work and that of the Bungalow owners within the City limits

23 Do from the First Asst Resident No 7336 d 11 12 12 (D 3362) States that the Matter is receiving careful attention

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attention and that the Resident hopes to say something definitely very shortly

24 From the President Muni council Bangalore No 174 Dt 31.1.1913 (D 4593) Referring to this office letter Seni Submits for orders copy of the council resolution that the Scheme requires a thorough investigation after pers inspection of the spot by the ex officers of both the City & Station Muni with the Chief Engineer and the Bangalore Distt

25 To the President Muni council Bangalore City, Chief Engineer, Dy Commr Sany Commr. No 6506-9 d 25.2.13 Requests the Dy Commr & the Chief Engineer to help the Muni council in formulating the Scheme called for

26 From the 1st asst to the Hon the Resident in Mysore No 1272 d 25.2.13. Referring to this office letter Dt 21 forwards copy of the communication received from the president ~~received from the President~~ of the C & M Station reporting that the bungalow owners in the C & M Station limits are willing to contribute Rs 2000/- and that the Commission are willing to contribute a sum.

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27 To the President Munl Council Bangalore City No 6660 d 13.13 Informs him that the Munl ~~Council~~ Commn of the C & M Station are willing to contribute Rs 4000/- & requests him to expedite the submission of the report already called for

28. From do No 259 & 8 4 13 (D 6171) States that the Munl Council consider it unfair, in justice to the ratepayers of the city to contribute towards the proposed improvement which is entirely beneficial to the owners of bungalows in the C & M Station, that the owner of the Bungalows in the City has declined to pay any contribution, and that the Council hope that the capacity of the Sampige tank will not in any way be reduced by the proposed new works

29. To The First Asst to the Hon the Resident in Mysore No Pol 126 & 11 5 13 States that both the City Munl Cl & the bungalow owner within the city limits are unwilling to pay any contribution towards the work proposed, but that the Durbar would endeavour to induce them to contribute Rs 4000/-, if the remaining Rs 8000/- can be made available between the C & M Station Muny & the bungalow within the Station limits.

9th August 1913 G V. Srinivasa Rao.

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File No 354-09

FILE HEADING

Sampangi Tank, Bangalore City Municipality

From

The Sanitary Commissioner

No 2105 Dated 17-11-09 Received 20-11-09

Diary No 3387	Enclos —	Spare Copies	Serial No 4

BRIEF ABSTRACT OF LETTER

Invites attention to the malarious swamps annually reproduced on the eastern sides of the road to the east of the Sampangi tank in the Bangalore City and to a similar state of affairs in the Sidney Road and suggests the desirability of raising the level of the two tracts by obtaining material from the tank-bed and thus deepening the tank

NOTES AND ORDERS

The President's reply to the Secy Comm^{rs} proposal to deepen the tank, made in another connection, has not yet been received. The papers in that connection are herewith put up

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The proposal to raise the level of the low ground on the eastern side of the Sampangi Road necessitates ~~requires~~ correspondence with the Residency & the C&M Station Municipality.

2 Submitted for orders.

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3 It seems that the Residency may be addressed in the matter.

4 A copy of the present letter may be forwarded to the President of the City Ml Council with a request that the suggestion made by the Sanitary Comr to raise the level of the land to the rest of Sidney Road may be considered in connection with the other suggestion to deepen the Sampangi Tank.

1st Crd 27.11.09 [signature]

5 approved [signature] 2/12/09

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6 Put up draft 3-12-09 [signature]

7 Draft put up [signature] 4/12/09

8 Issue 7.12-09 [signature]

Please call for report from the City President before making the reference

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To the President, Bangalore City Municipal Council. No. 4962 dy 9-12-09.

9 Requests him to place the Sany Commr's opinion regarding the raising the level of the land to the west of the Sidney Road and to submit their opinion in the matter and to submit a report regarding the malarious swamp to the east of the Sampangi Tank.

10 1st Councillor's order in Med: File No. 20-09.

"Please ask the President when a reply may be expected."

Sd/. K. P. P. 19-1-10.

11. Put up draft.

Sd/ K. M. 20/1/10.

12 Draft put up.

Sd/ 21/1/10.

13. Reminder issued. Please see No. 6460 dy 29-1-10 in Medical File No. 20-09

From the Sany Commr No. 3162 dy 31-1-10

14 Requests to be informed as to what action is being taken in regard to his suggestion for deepening the Sampangi tank

15 The Municipal Councils' views have not yet been received. Reminders are being regularly sent to the President This may, if approved, await the receipt of the President's report

Sd/ 16/2/10 16 The Sanitary Commr

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may be informed accordingly
Put up draft.

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Draft put up.

18 Issue

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To the Lany Commr No 6898 & 9 2-10

19 Informs him that the question of deepening the Sampangi tank and improving the sanitation of the neighbourhood, has been referred to the Presdt of the Bangalore city Municpl Council for submission of the Municpl Council's views in the matter and that final orders will be passed after the receipt of the Municpl Council's views in the matter.

6. From the Presdt, Bangalore city Municpl Council. No 2646 & 21-4-1910.

To States that the delay in replying to the Govt refce is due to the preparation of a plan showing the limits of the tank and the portion of the lifd leased out yearly for the Polo Club of the Military Depn, that the necessary plan will be prepared as soon as the condition of the tank renders it possible to survey it and that the Council's resolution would be submitted in due course

21 Also submits the Council's resolution directing the Health Officer to oil the swamp

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to the west of the Sydney Road and states that the malarial swamp on the eastern side of the Sampangi tank being within the limits of the C & M Stn., the Municipality cannot take action in the matter.

Submitted.

22. The Municipal Council's opinion as regards deepening the tank, may be awaited. The C & M. Station authorities may, if necessary, be addressed regarding the swamp on the eastern side of the tank.

Bbn. 23 A copy of the President's letter and also of the resolution of the Municipal Council may be sent to the Sanitary Comr. for information

25 Approved
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24 It ~~[illegible]~~ is not known if the malarial swamp to the east of the tank can be deemed to be so dangerous to the City Municipality as to justify our addressing the Residency in the matter - If so ordered, a draft will be submitted

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27. Please put up drafts
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Extract from the Sanitary Comm's letter of 17th Nov 09 may be sent to the C & M Station Municipality
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2 drafts put up.

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7 To the Sany. Commr. No. 10152 & 9-5-10.
30 Forwards copy of St. No. 6 for information.

8 To the Fr. A. Resident. No. Col 947 & 9-8 1910
31. Forwards extract of paras 1 & 2 of St. No. 4 and requests that the C. & M. Stn. authorities may be moved to take the necessary action in the matter of the malarious swamp on the eastern side of the road to the east of the Sampange tank.

9. From the Sany. Commr. No. 5756 & 28-5-10
32 States that his proposal involves treatment of the entire bed of the Sampange tank including the leased portion and that the permanent reservation of the tank for storage water should not be lost sight of.
33 Submitted for orders. The final views of the Mumpl. Council promised in St. No. 6, have not yet been received. If approved, copies of the present reference may be sent to the President and the Chief Engineer.

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2/6/10 reference may be forwarded to the President - Please put up draft

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35 Draft put up

Chg. ong 36 Submitted

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37 Approved [illegible]

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38 Issue

12-6-10 [illegible]

11 To the President, Bangalore City Municipal Council. No 11038 dy 29-6-1910.

39. Forwards copy of Serial No 9 and requests him to take the action reported in St No 6 and report the result to Govt.

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From the First Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore No 3839 & 6 1910.

40 Forwards a copy of letter No 1205 & 6 6 1910 from the Presdt, Ml Commr C & M Stn, together with its enclosures, in the matter of draining the swamp on the eastern side of the Sampange Road, and requests to be favoured with the Durbar's views in the matter

41 The C & M Stn Municipality propose as the only means of draining the swamp, that the supply channel of the Sampange tank now running through the C & M Station limits, be diverted as shown in the sketch so that it may run entirely on land belonging to the Durbar The Presdt of the C & M Stn Municipty also states that he is prepared to recommend a contribution towards the cost of diversion of the channel, from the Stn municipal funds and to place the materials of the two existing culverts in the Stn limits at the disposal of the Durbar

42. The F. A. Resident states that the Resident hopes that the Durbar's co-operation in the method invited would be forthcoming as the only practicable way of achieving the drainage of the swamp in question and also

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~~as being consistent with the views of the Mysore Sanitary authorities as to the best way of treating the main Sampangi tank in future~~

43. It is respectfully submitted that the Hon'ble the Resident's proposal involves a large and intricate question From the previous papers relating to the Sampange tank, herewith put up, it will be seen that the swamp to the east of the Sampange Road forms part of the waterspread of the tank If, as now proposed by the C & M Stn Ml Commn, the channel on that side of the road is diverted and the level of its neighbourhood is raised, the area of the waterspread of the tank will be reduced and the storage capacity of the tank ~~[illegible]~~ diminished

44 The question of reducing the capacity of the tank by providing a waste weir for it was suggested by the Hon'ble the Resident in his letter No 3326 dy 9.6.06 with a view to protect the interests of the owners of the Brewery buildings in the C. & M Station limits The question was referred by Govt to a committee consisting of the marginally noted members for ~~report~~ submission of a joint report in matter

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1 The Ch Engr
2 The Survey & Settlement Commr
3 The Dy Commr, Bangalore Dt
4 The Resdt, Bangalore City Mumpl Council

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45 On receipt of their report it was

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decided that there was no necessity to the construction of a waste weir to the tank on the ground that it would not only affect the spring level in the wells below the tank but would also be prejudicial to the vested interests of the owners of gardens below the tank and to the State revenue derived therefrom and that the protection of the said Brewery buildings could be best ensured by raising the floor of the said building a few inches above the maximum flood level. The Residency was accordingly informed in this office Pol No 1968 5.9.06.

46. The present proposal of the C & M Stn Municpl Commn seems, in a way, to reopen the above question.

Submitted for orders.

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30/6/10 47 Copies of the C and M Station Municipal Commission President's letter to the First Apt to the Resident may be forwarded for opinion to the President, Bangalore City Municipality, the Deputy Comr, Bangalore, the Sanitary Comr and the Chief Engineer.

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their attention being invited in this connection to the previous correspondence regarding the proposal to construct a waste weir to the tank

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7 7-10 [illegible]

50 Draft put up.

Approved 51 Issue
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R. To the Pres^t, Bangalore City Municipality, the Dy. Comm 52 Bangalore Dt, the Chief Engineer and the Sany. Com Sl No 390-3 dy 15-7-1910.

Forwards copy of Sl No 10 for submission of their views in the matter with refce to correspce which took place in 1906 regarding the proposal to construct a waste weir to the tank.

From the Sany Comr No 520 dy 30 7 1910

53 Requests that the entire file of correspondence which took place in 1906 regarding the proposal to construct a waste weir to the tank

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tank may be sent to him for perusal and return

5th Submitted with draft forwarding all the connected papers for refee and return.

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13. To the Sany. Comm^r. No. 13888 of 10-8-1910.

56 Forwards for refee & return the files asked for in the above.

From the above officer. No. 1222 of 3-9-1910.

57 States there are certain points which require discussion in relation to the suggestion to divide the supply channel and suggests that the marginally noted officers do meet and discuss the question thoroughly on the spot and submit a joint report in the matter.

(1) The Chief Engineer
(2) " Sany Engineer
(3) " Pres^t, Bangalore city Municipy.
(4) " Sany Comm^r

58 Submitted for orders The Sany. Comm^r suggestion may be approved. The Survey Sup^d may, if necessary, be added to the above list He was one of the officers consulted on the last occasion in connection with the proposed reduction of the capacity of the tank.

Draft put up.

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61. Issue.

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14 To the Sany. Commr., the Chief Engineer, the Sany Engineer, the Presdt., Bangalore City Municipal Council and the Supdt. of Revenue Survey. No. 2915-9 & 23-9-10.

62. Approves the Sany Commrs. suggestion and requests the above officers to meet and discuss the subject thoroughly and submit a ~~joint~~ report in the matter.

63 Submitted with a reminder [illegible] Residency No. 5670 & 20th Sept 1910.

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64 Please put up an ad interim reply

29-9-10 [illegible]

65 Draft put up.

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66. Submitted

1st Crs 5-10-10 [illegible]

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7-10-10

67 Approved [illegible]
7/10/10

68 Issue

8-10-10 [illegible]

To the 1st Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore. No. Pol 359 & 22-10-1910.

69. States that the question of diverting the supply channel of the Lampangi [illegible] Tank has been referred to a Committee

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consisting of (1) the Sany. Comm., (2) the Chief Engr. (3) the Sany Engr., (4) the Presdt. Bangalore City Munpl. Council and the Supd. Mysore Rev: Survey, for submission of a report in the matter and that a further commn. would be made on the receipt of their reply.

To the Sany Commr. No. 18 . 11 . 10
70 Enquires when the report called for in Sl. 14 may be expected.

From the above officer. No. 2402 of 24 11 . 1910
71 Forwards a copy of Chief Engrs. D.O. letter in the matter.
72 Submitted. It will be seen from the above that the matter is still in correspondence between the members of the Committee. The receipt of the report may be awaited remainders being issued at the proper time.
(The file had been submitted to Dewan and was returned with the remark "Keep till called for".)

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(9) 30/11/10 3 12 . 10 [illegible]
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From the 1st Asst Resident in Mysore No 1203 9-1-1911
74 Enquires when the further communication
promised in Pol No 359 may be expected

D.O. dated 9th January from the Pres't, Bangalore
City Municipl Council & Dy. Comm'r, Bangalore Dt
75 Forwards copies of D.O. correspondence between
him and the Chief Engineer re Sampangi tank
76 Submitted with a draft reminder to the Secy.
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No 6043 & 18.1.1911 Enquires when the
report called for in Sl No 14 can be expected
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15 From the Dy Commr. Bangalore District. No 3398 3.2.1911

79 States that the ~~[illegible]~~ question of deepening the bed of the Sampangi Tank and improving the malarial swamps in its vicinity is being considered by the Bangalore City Municipl Council and the Exe: Engrs Bangalore Division and that after receipt of their opinion a complete report would be submitted in the matter.

79(a) The file relating to this subject was submitted to Dewan yesterday. May this be submitted in continuation?

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Recd 11.2.11 From the F. A Resident. No 1000 & 21.2.1911.

79(c) Enquires how the question of diverting the supply channel of the Sampangi Tank now stands.

So This is another reminder from the Residency. The Sany. does not say when the report called for in Sl No 14 may be expected. Reminders are being regularly sent to him. A special reminder was sent to him on 18.1.1911 Draft of another reminder is put up for approval or other orders.

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81 Issue the draft and submit for the 1st Cr's information

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To the Sany Commr No 74628 13-3-11

82 Enquires when the report called for in St 14 can be expected and how the matter now stands.

83 Draft issued and file submitted to 1st Councillor.

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84 The question has been pending too long. The Chief Engr and the Sanitary Commr may be asked to expedite the report as a reply is due to the Residency and Constant reminders are being received

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Draft put up.

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To the Sany Commr & Ch. Engr No 79988 27 3 11

Requests them to expedite the submission of the report called for in St No 14

Another reminder has since been received from the Residency

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Submitted for orders with a draft ad interim reply

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90 Issue
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To the 1st Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore No Pol 886 of 5-4-1911.

91 States that the submission of the report of the Committee is ~~being~~ awaited and that urgent reminders have been issued to them to expedite it ~~the submission of the report~~

From the 1st Asst to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore. No 2621 of 2-5-1911.

92 Forwards a copy of letter No 516 of 28-4-11 from the Presdt of the C & M Stn Mil ~~[illegible]~~ Commn re malaria in the Sampange Tank area and requests that the Durbar will kindly give their early attention to the question and state how the matters stand at present

93 The report of the Committee has not yet been received. Reminders are being regularly sent, the last one having been despatched on 27-4-1911

The enclosures to the 1st Asst Resident's letter show that malaria has actually broken

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out in the neighbourhood of the tank and that the diversion of the feeder channel to the tank is therefore very necessary.

Submitted for orders.

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Please send copies of President C & M Station & Residency Surgeon's letters, to the Sanitary Commr & enquire when the report of the Committee may be expected

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Put up draft

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Draft put up.

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To the Sanitary Commr. No 9200 dd 10.1911

Forwards copies of the Residency letter and its enclosures and enquires when the report called for in Sl No 14 may be expected.

From the above officer. No 5072 dd 9.5.1911

States that the matter is still under

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the Chief Engineer's consideration.
(1) Submitted for orders with 2 drafts.
Obs. A reply to the Residency is necessary
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(2) Approved. but the delay is to be regretted. The matter has been pending for a long time
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(4) But a report was received from the Chief Engr on Saturday last. The letter to Resr will require slight alteration in view of the report. Please work up that report early
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16 From the Chief Engr No. 4584 of 25-5-1911
(5) Submits a note regarding the question of ~~[illegible]~~ draining the swamp on the eastern side of the Sampangi Tank.
(6) The Chief Engr makes 2 alternative proposals for draining the swamp one costing Rs 12,000/- and the other from 3869 to Rs 6,797. As stated by the Chief Engineer

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in para 9 of the note the cost of the works is debitable to the C & M Stn Municipality Vide also para 7 of the C & Stn Municpl President letter to the Resident dated 6th June 1910

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107 Attention is respectfully invited to concluding portion of para 6 of the note wherein it is stated that the diversion of the feeder channel without other compensating works would mean the transfer of the trouble from the Canton to the City limits The proposed channel is on the western side of the Sidney Road where there is already a swamp, and the Sanitary Commr has from the outset been urging the necessity of raising the level of this area which he says, is a menace to the health of the ~~[illegible]~~ patients of the maternity. Vide para 3 of Sany Commrs letter dy 17-11-09

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108 As regards the reduction of the waterspread of the tank attention is invited to ~~paras~~ 44 and 45 of these notes.

109 The consideration of the question may, it is submitted, await the return of the report from the Sany Commr called for in Sl 14 The drafts to the Residency and the Sany Commr may issue. The

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former does not seem to require any alteration in the light of the Chief Engr's letter.

110. Submitted for orders

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29/5/11 111 Issue the drafts and submit the file to the 1st Cr for perusal of the Chief Engineer's letter.

31-5-11 [illegible]

17. From the F. A. Resident. No 32968 2-6-1911.
Requests early reply re diversion of the supply channel of the Stamp [illegible]
Pol No 1059 of 2-6 11 to the 1st Assist to the Inn'l the Resident in Mysore.

112 Intimates the acknowledgment the receipt of his letter refd ~~to in the~~ No 2621 of 2 5-11 and states in reply that the Committee refd to in this office letters previous correspondence have not yet come to a decision and they have been asked to submit their report without further delay.

No 9985 of 2-6-11 to the Sanitary Comm

113 Invites attention to G. P. No 2915-9/ml 354-of of 23 9 10 and requests the submission of the report therein called for without further delay as urgent remainders are being received from the Residency and the delay in the settlement of the question is reported to be prejudicial to the health of the inhabitants in the [illegible]

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Do No 166 dy 16 6. 11 from the Offg Sanitary Comr.

114 Requests that the plan and estimates forwarded by the Chief Engr to Govt with his note on the subject may be sent to him for reference and return when done with.

115 only a plan without the estimate was received with the Chief Engr's note referred to by the Sanitary Comr [Vide Chief Engr's letter No 4584 dy 25 5 11 (SL16)]

116 Draft Do forwarding only the plan is submitted for approval.

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117 Issue
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D.O. No 10556 dy 23 6 1911 to the Persl Asst to the Sany Commr.

118 Forwards a copy of the Chief Engineer's note and states that no estimate was received with the note.

From the Offg Sany Commr. No 5777 dy 27-6-1911.

119 Submits his ~~[illegible]~~ opinion in regard to the Sampangi Tank.

120 He states that as the overflow of the tank is only occasional, no action is necessary on the part of the Durbar as already decided in 1906, that if people fully knowing this deliberately build

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houses in the neighbourhood. they must be prepared to take the consequence, and that as any action that may have to be taken by the Durbar will be wholly for the benefit of the C. & M. Station, the entire cost of the Chief Engr's first proposal will have to be met by the C. & M. Stn authorities in addition to any compensation that may have to be paid for the loss of a waterspread of 23 acres.

The above is a reply to Sl No 14 in which (1) the Sany Commr (2) the Chief Engr, (3) the Sany Engr, (4) the Presdt, Bangalore city Mnapl Council and (5) the Supdt of Geo: Survey were requested to meet and discuss the question thoroughly and submit a joint report. The Sany. Commr does not say anything about the meeting.

The Chief Engrs opinion has already been received. The opinions of the Survey Supdt and the Presdt of the Bangalore city Mnapl Council have neither been received nor have they been referred to by the Sany Commr. But the Chief Engineer's memo fully deals with the subject.

The question for consideration is whether as requested by the C. & M. Stn authorities the supply channel of the tank may be safely

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diverted? Attention is respectfully invited in this respect to paras 41 to 45 and 107 of these notes.

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125 A copy of the Chief Engineer's note dated 25th May 1911 may be forwarded to the Residency ~~and~~ with a view to same being communicated to the Station Municipality and their opinion obtained as to which of the proposals therein set out may be adopted - The cost of the works necessary to be carried out should, of course come from the Station Municipality -

126 As pointed out in the office note above, it does not appear whether the Survey Supt and the President of the Bangalore City Municipal Council were consulted and what was their opinion - It would have been more satisfactory if the officers appointed to ~~form~~ the

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Committee had met and discussed the subject and arrived at a decision as directed in G.O dated 23rd Sep 1910

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The Chief Engineer's memo & plan may be forwarded to the Resident and may form the basis of a discussion between the Durbar authorities and the C & M station authorities I shall be glad to take part in such discussion [The Offg Sanitary Commis opinion is also to the point]

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19. From the Dy. Commr., Bangalore District No. 168 12.7.1911

129. Submits his opinion in the matter of deepening the Sampangi Tank and raising the level of the malarial swamps to the west of the Sidney Road and to the east of the Sampangi Road.

130 The Dy Commr considers that the diversion of the supply channel as proposed by the C.&M. Stn. municipal authorities will not have the desired effect of getting the locality rid of the swamp. On the other hand it is feared that the proposed channel would run through the recently acquired lands for the improvement of the Cubbon Park and is likely to affect the contemplated improvements besides entailing the acquisition of a large extent of valuable garden lands belonging to private persons on payment of heavy compensation. The Dy Commr also thinks that as already expressed by his predecessor, the Ch. Engr. and the Survey Commr. [illegible] it is not desirable to construct a kodi to the tank

131. From the F. A. Resident. No. 4393 of 24-7-1911. Requests to be informed

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as to how the question of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank stands at present.

132. The whole file relating to the deepening of the Sampangi Tank and to the removal of the Malarial swamps in its vicinity, is before the Dewan. May this be submitted in continuation?

Abn. 133. Yes

26/7/11 Submitted in continuation

Dewan. 28-7-11 [illegible]

19(2) To the Col. H. Daly C.S.I., C.I.E., the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore. D.O. No. 2780 of 14-9-1911.

134. Forwards for perusal and return the Chief Engineer's memo of 25-5-1911 and certain other papers regarding the question of draining the eastern portion of the Sampangi Tank by diverting the supply channel from the limits of the Ctr. M. Stn. and states that the papers will explain the difficulties which beset the [illegible] case.

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20 D.O. letter No 5638 26-1-1912 from the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore.

135 Suggests that the question of improving the surroundings of the Sampangi Tank and the apportionment of the cost sea, may be suitably discussed by Messrs Visvesvaraya & Richards with the assistance of such sanitary experts as might be thought advisable to call in.

136 The file relating to the subject is now pending with the Dewan. Subd for orders.

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137 Submitted in continuation.

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138 Col Smyth has repeatedly urged that the existence of the Sampangi Tank was no evil in itself but that it should be deepened He was opposed to the Tank being done away with

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To Mr. Visvesvaraya Esq., C.I.E., Chief Engr. & Secy to Govt. P.W.D. D.O. No. 8 2. (19) 1912.

141. Forwards the entire file of papers ending with the Resident's D.O. No. 563 & 26-1-1912 on the subject of improving the Sampaji Tank and its surroundings and requests him to discuss the matter further with Mr. Richards as suggested by the Resident.

20 (a) 142 From Mr. Visvesvaraya D.O. letter No 494 dated 5th Septr 1912

States that Mr. Richards has written to say that the C. of M. Station Municipality cannot afford to spend money on the work, that if the buildings which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently protected, the works estimated to cost Rs 12,000 should be carried out, that the cost may be borne roughly in equal proportions by the Municipalities of the city and C. of M. Station and the Bungalow owners and that further action may be taken after consulting the Hon'ble the Resident.

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reply to the Residency on the lines suggested by the Chief Engineer. In the meanwhile the Presid.t Bangalore City Municip.y should also be consulted as regards the initiative of the proposal and the willingness of the municipality to contribute. The papers to be sent up through the 2nd Councillor

[signature] 19 Sep 12

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Please put up draft

Also please put a typed short precis of the whole correspondence

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145 Two drafts and a precis of correspondence are submitted.

~~Ad 59 2.10.12~~ In this connection it is submitted that at the request of the C & M Station authorities an estimate amounting to Rs 20841 was sanctioned from the funds of the Bangalore City Municipality on the 26th Sep. 1912 for draining off the Miller's tank No I within the City limits. This work is to enable the Station authorities to drain their tanks nos 2 & 3

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effectively and not entirely to benefit the residents of the City. Under the arrangements accepted in 1883 the whole drainage from the Mantapam to the entrance to the Palace was restored to the feeder channel of the Sampangi tank, to which it originally belonged, and allotted to feed the Miller's tank. Now that the Miller's Reservoirs have ceased to serve the purpose for which they were intended and have to be drained, it is for consideration whether that drainage may not now be secured for the Sampangi tank, especially as the Chief Engineer's present proposal involves the provision of an escape for the surplus water in the tank by means of a weir and a circular conduit through the bank at the south eastern corner.

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(11) Drafts with a typed piece are put up for orders

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Re Sampangi Tank and its Feeder Channel.

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Vide printed correspondence.

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Correspondence regarding Sampige tank and its feeder channel began as early as 1883 when there was a dispute between the Civil and Military Station and the Durbar regarding the relative claims of the Millers Tanks and Sampige Tanks for the supply of water from the feeder channel In para 16 of his memo Dewan Sir K.Seshadri Iyer outlined the works that the Durbar were prepared to undertake to ensure an ample supply of water to the Civil and Military Station. These works with the conditions insisted upon by the Durbar noted in para 17 of the memo were agreed to by the Resident and ~~the aforesaid works~~ were carried out in 1885 and the fact was also intimated to the Residency by the Public Work Secretary on the 6th October 1885.

2) There was no further correspondence about the tank till 1903 when the cultivators and owners of

lands below the Sampige tank complained that the tank had filled that year having had no supply during the previous 20 years and that the overseer was cutting the bund and emptying the tank to their ruination, and prayed that the work might be stopped Mr H H Sparkes, the then President of the Bangalore City Municipal Commission, reported that owing to apprehensions of a breach of the bund and the complaint of the owners of bungalows in the neighbourhood, 2 feet of water was let out by the old channel as a precautionary measure against probable destruction of lives and property, and added as no 'kodi' to the tank existed steps would be taken to build one after consulting the Chief Engineer Government recorded the President' report and called for the proposals for the construction of a 'kodi' referred to

Letter No 160 dated 21st September 1903

G.O.No.2723/L.F.51-02 D/27-1-04.

5 In the meantime, the owners

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lands below the Sampige tank again petitioned the Government complaining that the feeder channel of the tank had been diverted in several places in its course (as marked on a plan submitted by them) thereby depriving the tank of its full supply of water, and prayed that the full supply might be secured to the tank

That petition was ~~forwarded~~ forwarded to the Chief Engineer for opinion and his views about the construction of a 'kodi' to the tank were also called for In reply, the Chief Engineer (Mr Mc Hutchin) invited the attention of Government to the arrangements settled between the Durber and the Civil and Military Station in 1883 and stated that as the abnormal floods were rare it was not worth while to construct a 'kodi' at all if compensation of any large amount had to be paid to the owners of lands below the tank as the level of full supply of the tank would thereby be reduced

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from 45 50 to 43.00 units and that it would always be practicable to let water out by temporary cuts at times of abnormal floods. In that connection, the Municipal President Mr A S Nagavkar transmitted a copy of letter from the President of the Civil and Military Station Municipality proposing to reconstruct the 'kodi' channel culvert of the tank crossing the Richmond Road and to drain away the overflow of the tank to the East of the Sampige Road, and stated that the proposal amounted to reducing the capacity of the tank from 43 to 16 units, that such a step would doubtless be stoutly opposed by the owners of lands below the tank as seriously affecting the supply of water in large wells below, that proposals to construct a 'kodi' or to permanently lower the level had been advocated not for the safety of the tank but for saving the Brewery and other buildings recently sprung up in the bed of the tank from being flooded over, and agreed with the Chief Engineer that 'kodi' as not necessary Government agre

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with the President requested him to have the feeder channel properly examined and to submit a report as to what was required to be done with reference to the arrangements agreed upon in 1888.

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4 In October 1904, the Municipal President, (Mr AsS.Nagavkar) reported that the feeder channel from Mr Rangacharlu's house to the Sampige Tank was in good condition, that there were two outlets in its course between those terminals opened out to feed the Millers Tanks Nos.1 and 3, that both the City and the Station having been supplied with water from the Chamarajendra Water Works the necessity for filling the Miller's Tanks at the expense of the Sampige tank did not exist, and that the petitioners' prayer being reasonable the two outlets should be closed and the catchment intercepted thereby restored to the Sampige tank so as to give full effect to the

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settlement arrived at in 1883. Thereupon the British Resident was addressed in the matter and that it was intimated that the Durbar intended to restore to the Sampige Tank the catchment intercepted by the two outlets in its feeder channel.

5 In March 1905, the First Assistant Resident forwarded, in reply, a copy of the Civil and Military Station Municipal President's letter of the 13th idem on the subject for consideration.

In that letter, the President of the Station Municipality contended that the two outlets in the feeder channel were never closed in 1883 nor was it definitely settled that they should be closed, that the Station Municipality had, however, no desire to press any claim to the supply for the Millers' tanks from those outlets, that Sampige tank was a shallow one and gradually silting up, that

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whatever might have been the extent of the tank at one time, its limits in recent years had not been considered to to extend beyond the Jail Road and that accordingly they were bound to protect the Brewery buildings constructed on the North of the said road, and claimed that if the outlets in the feeder channel had to be closed, steps should be taken to prevent the tank from overflowing in the Station limits.

Pol.417 D/28-11-05.

In reply, the First Assistant Resident was informed that the Durbar were unable to agree to the Station Municipal President's statement that the Brewery buildings, constructed on the North of the Jail Road were bound to receive protection inasmuch as such protection could only be to the prejudice of the recognized rights of the garden owners who held lands under the tank, whose rights to use water of the tank for irrigation dated from a period long anterior to the construction of the said buildings and that as the proprietors

proprietors of those buildings erected them in the bed of the tank fully knowing the risk of such an action on their part, they could not be protected at the expense of the garden owners who paid heavy assessment to Government.

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6 Thereupon the First Assistant Resident stated as follows:-

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"2 The claim of the Durbar that the sam-Dige tank should receive its full supply of water may be frankly admitted The diversions in question, which are of course not now required for the water supply of the Civil and Military Station, do not appear to have been intended to operate, nor on occasions of any heavy rainfall do they as a matter of fact operate, to interfere practically with any such supply or to prevent the tank filling to its full capacity. The Municipal Commission of the Station have therefore no objection whatever to these diversions being closed but they point out that the tank has undoubtedly silted up

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of late so that when it is full the water extends considerably further than it used to and reaches ground which is not shown on any map available in this office as ever having formed part of the tank bed."

"3. The Resident is satisfied that the construction of any kodi, calculated to lower the tank level permanently will prejudicially affect the interest of the owners of gardens holding lands below the tank bund and should not therefore be permitted At the same time there is, Mr Fraser thinks, strong ground for considering the interests of the Brewery and other buildings in the vicinity of the tank which now have no protection against floods, resulting from abnormal rainfall, although erected on land which, a remarked above, the available------ ----- -

available records do not show to have been ever included within the water spread In these circumstances the Resident would suggest, as an arrangement fair and suitable to both parties, that steps should be taken to construct a waste weir to carry off flood water so as to prevent the level of the water rising above 2 feet below the basement of the brewery building.

"4 I am to request that, if the Durbar have no objection to the construction of the proposed waste weir, an estimate of the cost involved may be forwarded at an early date for the consideration of the Municipal Commission of the Civil and Military Station . It is possible that the Bangalore City Municipality will not object to contributing some portion of this expenditure and I am to request that their view may kindly be ascertained and communicated to this office "

7 The several statements made in the First Assistant Resident's letter required verification, and the Government therefore requested the Chief Engineer, the Survey and Settlement Commissioner, the Deputy Commissioner of the Bangalore District and the President of the Bangalore City Municipal Council to meet and submit a joint report in the matter

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The following were the results of the deliberations of those officers -

(a) the oldest map bearing the date of 1864 prepared by Col Sankey showed clearly that the spot on which the Brewery buildings stand was once a paddy flat irrigated by 'Kapile' wells, there having been no tank above This proved that the tank bed extended over those flats or reached very near them to have allowed the springs to have been of such a high level

(b) That there has been no appreciable silting up of the tank bed during the

the past 40 years

(c) Though the jail road was in 1871 considered to be the limit of the tank there was nothing to prevent its ~~ste~~ water spread extending over the paddy flat referred to, and

(d) the ~~consideration~~ construction of a waste weir would not only affect the spring level in the wells below rthe tank but also operate very prejudicially to the vested interests of the owners of gardens below the tank and to the State Revenue derived therefrom

The Chief Engineer and the Survey and Settlement Commissioner also expressed their opinion that the Brewery buildings ~~can~~ could be protected by raising the floor a few inches above maximum flood level

8 The above results and opinion were duly communicated to the First Assistant Resident ~~with information~~ with the intimation that the Durbar concurred in that opinion

In the meantime the Mysore Pub[illegible] Works

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Works Department prepared an estimate amounting to Rs 1119 for restoring the old feeder which had been previously diverted from the Sampige Tank catchment area to feed the Miller's Tank and to which the Civil and Military station Municipal Commission had expressed their consent That estimate was sanctioned in the Public Works Secretariat in July 1907 after consulting the Superintendent of Revenue Survey Due intimation of the execution of the work was given to the Residency in August 1907

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P W.Secretary's letter No.727/5596 D/7-8-07.

9 The dispute about the feeder channel was thus settled, and there was no correspondence about the tank and its feeder till November 1908 when Colonel Smyth, Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of Mysore, began a fresh series of correspondence by inviting the attention of Government to the malarious swamp annually reproduced on the eastern side of

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of the road to the East of Sampige tank and on the side of the Sydney road and suggested that the level of the area should be raised by taking material from the bed of the tank and that the capacity of the tank should be increased and the formation of pools in its bed prevented

As regards the swamp within the Bangalore City Municipal limits the Municipal Council was asked to take necessary action The area on the eastern side of the Sampige Road being within the Station limits, copy of an extract from the Sanitary Commissioner's letter was (under the then First Councillor's direction) sent to the Hon'ble the Resident with a request that the Civil and Military Station Municipality might be moved to take necessary action in the matter

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10 Thereupon, the First Assistant Resident forwarded copies of the

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Civil and Military Station Municipal President's letter of the 10th June 1910 and its enclosures and called for the views of the Durbar regarding the proposal of the President of the Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, to divert the feeder channel so as to make it pass its entire length through the Durbar land, without passing through that part of the land lying within the Civil and Military Station limits

Copies of the Station Municipal President's letter were forwarded to the President of the Bangalore City Municipal Council, the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore, the Chief Engineer and the Sanitary Commissioner for their views in the matter Their attention was also invited to the previous correspondence about the construction of a waste weir to the tank Subsequently at the suggestion of the Sanitary Commissioner, the Sanitary Engineer, and the Chief Engineer, the

Municipal President, Bangalore City, Sanitary Commissioner and the Superintendent of Revenue Survey were requested to meet and discuss the question thoroughly.

G.O.No.2915-9/354-09 D/20-9-10.
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11. In the meantime, reminders having been received from the Residency for a very early disposal of the matter, the Dewan forwarded copies of certain papers, including the Chief Engineer's memo dated 25th May 1911 and the Dy Comr's letter dated 12th July 1911, &c. to the Hon'ble the Resident, demi-officially on the 14th September 1911 with a view to explain to the Hon'ble the Resident the difficulties which beset the case

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In reply, the Resident stated that the position had altered since Mr. Mc Hutchin reported on the case and suggested that the steps to be taken for remedying the situation and the apportionment of cost might be suitably discussed by Messrs Visvesvaraya and Richards with the assistance of such sanitary experts as it might be thought advisible to call in.

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Vide Mr Visveswaraya's D O.letter No.494 D/ 5-9-12 to the Dewan.

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In pursuance of that suggestion Mr Richards and Mr Visvesvaraya met at the tank on the 7th March 1912 and discussed the proposed improvements. Mr.Richards promised to meet the Chief Engineer again but after several reminders he is stated to have written to say that the Civil and Military Station Municipality cannot afford to spend money on the work this year. The Chief Engineer says that the question has been already discussed threadbare and that it now resolves itself into one of funds In his opinion if the buildings which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently protected the works estimated to cost Rs12,000 should be carried out (A brief account of these works is given in para 7 of his memo D/ 25th May 1911 in the file) This he considers very necessary and states that a rough and ready solution of the question would be to induce the bungalow owners of the bungalows both in the Civil and Military Station and in the City limit

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to contribute a third of the cost, the balance being met from the funds of the two municipalities in such proportion as may be decided upon later on after further discussion. He suggests that if the proposal meets with the Dewan's approval further action may be taken after consulting the Hon'ble the Resident.

12. The Dewan's order on Mr Visvesvaraya's above D O letter is as follows -

" Please put up a draft reply to the Residency on the lines suggested by the Chief Engineer In the meanwhile, the President, Bangalore City Municipality, should also be consulted as regards the suitability of the proposal and the willingness of the Municipality to contribute The papers to be sent up through the 2nd Councillor"

Inld/ T A R.

14 & of the office Notes (current file)

13 Necessary drafts are put up

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2-10-12.

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General and Revenue Secretariat.

Mg File No. 354 of 1909

Serial No. 148

2nd Councillor
& Dewan

WD 9/10/12

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Draft's appd by 2nd Cr.

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14.10.12

WD 14.10.12

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Draft's approved

WD 14/10

Dated 19 Oct 12

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21 152 Letter No Pol 317 dated the 26th Oct 1912 to the First Assistant Resident.

States that after full consideration of the circumstances of the case the Durbar considers that the diversion of the existing feeder channel is not necessary and that if the buildings which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently protected it will be only necessary to confine the storm water to the feeder channel by raising a bank

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along its length on the eastern side between Sidney and Sampanga roads and provide for an escape for the surplus water by means of a weir and a circular conduct through the bank at the south-eastern corner of the tank, and that a ready solution for finding the necessary funds will be to induce the bungalow owners concerned to contribute a third of the cost of the aforesaid work viz Rs 2000, the balance being met from the funds of the City and Station municipalities in such proportion as may be decided upon later on after further discussion and requests the 1st Asst. Resident to ascertain the wishes of the bungalow owners within the C.O.M. Station limits in the matter and those of the municipality in the matter.

22 153) Letter no. 3256 dated the 1st Nov. 1912 to the President, Bangalore City Municipal Council.

Requests him to consult the Municipal Council as to the suitability of the aforesaid proposals and as to their willingness to contribute

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quota of the cost of the work and that of the bungalow owners within the City limits

23 154) D. O from the First asst. Resident No 7336 d 11 12 12 (D 3362)
States that the matter is receiving careful attention & that the Resident hopes to say something definitely very shortly
Dewan's order

155) Secretary, File with previous papers 11 12 12. (Id) M.V

24 156) From the President, Int Council Bangalore. No. 174 d 31 1 1913 (D 4593)
Referring to this office letter S 222, submits for orders copy of the Council resolution that the scheme requires a thorough investigation after personal inspection of the spot by the Executive officers of both the City & Station municipalities with the Chief Engineer & the Dy Commr Bangalore Dt

157 For a complete history of the case vide precis of the correspondence & notes from para 145, supra.

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158 Submitted for orders

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Mil File No. 354 of 1919

Serial No

159 The proposal of Bangalore City Muncpl Council is that the Chief Engineer the Dy Commr & the Muncpl officers of the C & M Stn should be requested to meet the President at the spot to consider the proposal made in Serial No 22

160 As the First Asst Resident has already stated that the proposals made by the Durbar are receiving attention, it may not be desirable to request him to move the C & M Stn Municipal officers to meet the Durbar officers as suggested by the City Muncpl Council

161 The Chief Engineer & the Deputy Commr may be requested to help the Municipal Council in formulating the scheme

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13/2/13

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Draft accordingly Dun 14/2

14/2/13 163 Draft submitted for approval

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Serial No

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167 Issue

24/2/13

25 168 To the President Mil Council Bangalore city, Chief Engineer, Dy Comr, Sanct Cr No 5500-9 a 25 2 13 Requests the Dy Cr & the Chief Engineer to help the Mil Council in formulating the scheme called for

26 169 From the First assistant to the Hon'ble Mr Resident in Mysore No 1272 dis 7 13 Referring to this office letter Sl 21, forwards copy of the communication received from the President of the C & M Station reporting that the bungalow owners in the C & M Station limits are willing to contribute Rs 2000 & that the Mil Commission are willing to contribute a lipe sum

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Mil File No. 354 of 1909

Serial No

170 If approved, this may be communicated to the President of the Mil Council Bangalore city with the request that the submission of the report called for in para 2 of this office letter R 22, should be expedited.

171 Subd for orders with draft

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27 173 To President Mil Cl Bangalore city No. 6660 d 1 3 13 Informs him that the Mil Commr of the C & M Station are willing to contribute Rs 4000 & requests him to expedite the submission of the report already called for

28 174 From Do — No. 259 d 8 4 13 (D 6171) States that the Mil Council consider it unfair, & in justice to the rate payers of the city, to contribute towards the proposed improvement which is entirely beneficial to the owners of bungalows in the Civil & Mily station, that the owner of the bungalows in the

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Serial No

City has declined to pay any contribution & that the Council hope that the capacity of the Sampige tank will not in any way be reduced by the proposed new works

175. Submitted for orders

TS 09 with reference to Serial No 22 (page 34)

12/4/13 (18) The work was estimated to cost Rs 12,000 & the First Asst Resh has intimated (2) that the C & M Station Municipty & the bungalow owners within the C & M Station limits have agreed to contribute Rs 4000 The balance amounting to Rs 8000 has to be found If the City Municipty do not see their way to reconsider their decision (3), the balance may be met out of State funds

Dy Secy) 14/4/13

176) The Municipal Council decline contribution as also the owner of bungalows in the city limits Further, the President points out that if the proposed works affect the capacity of the tank, the land revenue payable to the Municipality under it will suffer Residency will have be addressed in due course

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General and Revenue Secretariat

Mil File No 354 of 1909

Serial No

178 The file was given to the Deputy Secretary for speaking to the President Mil Council Bangalore city about the city municipality contributing Rs 4000 (on the 23rd June 1913) The Deputy Secretary went to Mysore & after his return tried to see the President 4 or 5 times but without avail He saw him on the 7th August 1913 & his note is appended

ide Note on the slip

Mr Puttanna Chetty is agreeable to the arrangement indicated in the draft letter to the Residency

I saw him this morning & discussed the case with him, as directed by the Dewan.

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The Dewan has approved the draft put up -

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Inl File No 354 of 1909

Serial No 29

181 To the First assistant to the Hon'ble Mr Resident in Mysore — No Pol 126 d 11 5 1913 States that both the city Inl Council & the bungalow owner within the city limits are unwilling to pay any contribution towards the work proposed but that the Dubar would endeavour to induce them to contribute Rs 4000, if the remaining Rs 8000 can be made available between the civil & Mily Station Mr & the bungalow owners within the Station limits

Please mark for record & instruct as whether the note page 40 may retained yes

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2105

Sanitary Commissioner's office,

Bangalore, dated 17-11-09.

mc. 357-09

D 3387

From.

Lt.Col- John Smyth, M.D., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner to Mysore Govt.,
Bangalore.

To.

K.S Chandrasekarara Iyer Esq, B.A., B.L.,
Secretary to Mysore Govt., Gen & Rev Deptts.,
Bangalore.

Sir,

I have the honor to invite attention to the Malarious swamp that is annually reproduced on the eastern side of the road to the east of Sumpengy Tank

2. This swamp is, I believe, in the Cantonment, and the authorities there might be communicated with, with a view to having its level raised to that of the road Abundant --- material for the purpose may be taken from the bed of the Tank

3. A somewhat similar state of affairs exists on the side of Sydney Road remote from this same tank, and an effort should be made to raise the level of this area in the same way, beginning near the maternity, and obtaining the material from the bed of the Sumpengy Tank As I have so often represented, malaria is extremely prevalent in this area, and has been for many years, much to the detriment of the patients in the Maternity Sumpengy Tank is only useful, & every effort should be made to increase its capacity, and to --- prevent the formation of pools in its bed when the water - level sinks This can easily be done, if only the merest effort is made in that direction

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient Servant,

Lt.Col -I. .S
Sanitary Commissioner, G.

Department of Public Health in Mysore

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From

Lt.-Col. JOHN SMYTH, M.D., I.M.S.,
Sany Commissioner with the
Govt. of H. H. the Maharaja
of Mysore, Bangalore

To

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Dated } 17-11-07.
Despatched

Received

General No. 2105
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Diary No. of letter replied to 3382

No. 4962

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9.12.09.

General and Revenue Secretariat

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Date of issue 9 12 09

Signed by Jnr K M.

To

The Pres^t, Bangalore City Municipal Council.

Sir,

In continuation of my letter No. 2229/ml 354-09 dt 6.9.09 I am directed to forward herewith copy of letter No. 2105 dt 17-11-09 from the Sany Comm^r to the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore and to request that you will be so good as to place before the Municipal Council the Sany. Comm^r suggestion to raise the level of the land to the west of the Sidney Road, for consideration along with the question of deepening the Sampangi tank and submit their resolution in the matter.

I am also to request that

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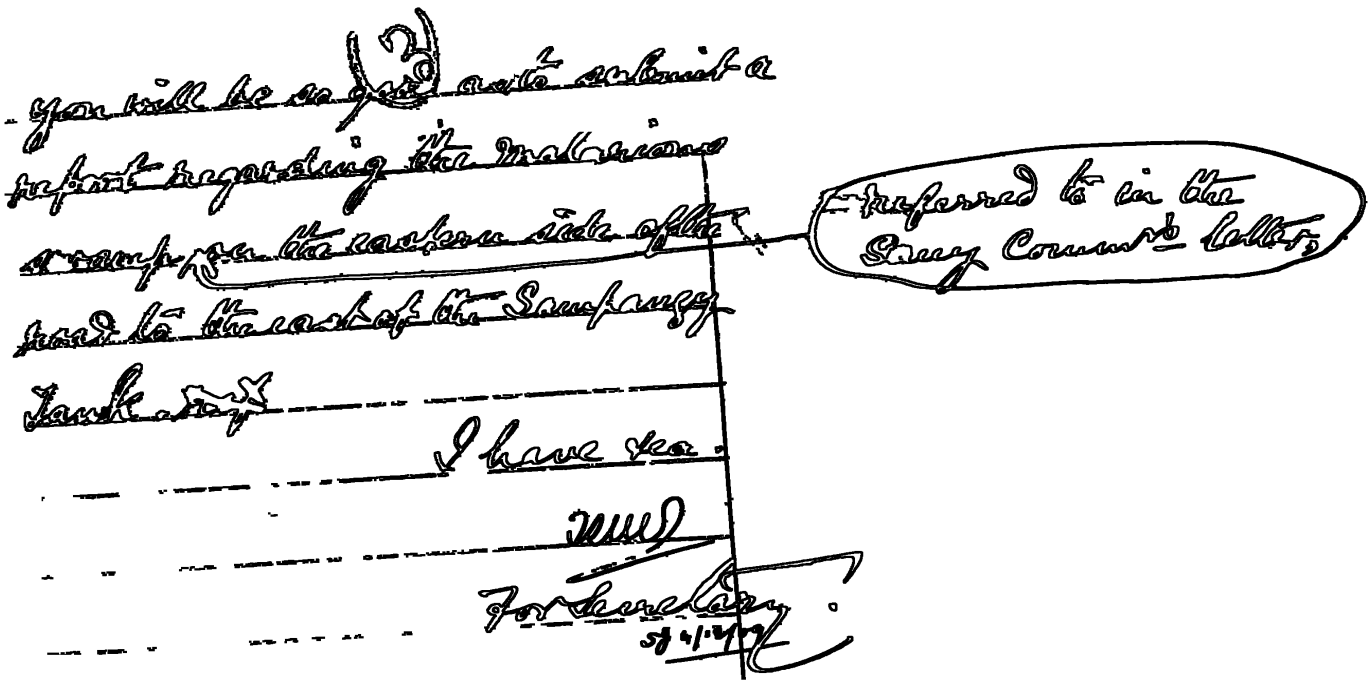

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you will be so good as to submit a report regarding the malarious a ramp on the eastern side of the road to the east of the Sampanzy Tank. [illegible]

referred to in the Sanz Commr's letter.

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For Secretary.

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Sanitary Commissioner's office,

Bangalore, dated 31-1-10

Inl 354-09 (3)

From.

Lt. Col. John Smyth, M D., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner to Mysore Govt.,
Bangalore.

To.

C.S. Balasundram Iyer Esq, B.A.,
Secretary to the Govt. of His Highness
the Maharaja of Myore, Gen & Rev. Depts
Bangalore.

Sir,

In inviting your kind attention to my letters Nos. 888 & 2105 dated the 18th August & 17th November 09 anent certain improvements to the Sumpengi Tank, I have the honor to request the favour of being informed what action has been taken in the matter.

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Sanitary Commissioner.

Department of Public Health in Mysore.

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From

Lt.-Col. JOHN SMYTH, M.D., I.M.S.,
Supy. Commissioner with the
Govt. of H. H. the Maharaja
of Mysore, Bangalore.

To C.S. Balasundram Iyer Esqr.
Offg. Secy. to Govt. Gen. & Rev.
Bangalore

Dated } 31-1-10
Despatched
Received

General No. 3162
No.

Enclosure No. nil

Inviting attention to this
nos. 888 and 2105 dated 18-
& 19-11-09 respectively amend
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File No 354/09

Serial No

No of letter replied to 5324

No 6898 (4)

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To

The Sanitary Comm^r

of issue 9 2 10

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Sir,

With refce to the correspondence ending with your letter No 31628, 31 1 10 regarding the deepening of the Sampange tank and improving the sanitation of its neighbourhood, I am directed to inform you that the matter has been referred to the Pres^t of the Bangalore City Municipal Council for submission of the Municipal Council's views in the matter and that final orders will be passed after the receipt of the ~~above information~~ resolution of

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For Off^g Secy

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OFFICE OF THE MUNICIPAL ~~COMMISSION~~ Council

City, Bangalore, 21st April 1910

No 244
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D. 7751

Ml 354-09

From

THE PRESIDENT,
Municipal ~~Commission~~, Council,
Bangalore City

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To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore.

Sir,

Reference -Your letters No. 2229/Ml.354-09-2 dated the 6th September and 4962/Ml 354--09-5 dated the 9th December 1909, forwarding respectively copies of communi--cations from the Sanitary Commissioner regarding the necessity for deepening of the Sarpige Tank, and for raising the level of the land to the West of the Sydney Road, and filling the swamp on the eastern side of the road to the East of the tank.

I have the honour to state that the question of deepening the Sampige Tank was placed before the Council in September 1909, when it was resolved that the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, might be asked for his opinion as to the probable cost required for deepening it so as to admit a tolerably good storage of water in it.

That Officer, to enable him to give his opinion in the matter, asked for a plan shewing the limits of the tank and the portion of the bed leased out yearly for the Polo Club of the Military Department, Civil

and Military Station As such a plan was not available in the office, and as the tank was full at the time to prepare one after making a survey of it, the question had to be deferred till the tank got dry

Necessary plan will be prepared and sent up to the Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division, as soon as the condition of the tank renders it possible to survey it and that Officer's opinion will be placed before the Council and its resolution submitted to Government in due course for orders

2 The question of raising the level of the land to the west of the Sydney Road was placed before the Council at the Meeting of the 31st Ultimo The Health Officer has been requested to oil the swamp in question A copy of the Council's Resolution is herewith forwarded

3 With regard to the malarial swamp on the eastern side of the road to the east of the tank, this Municipality cannot take any action since it is situated within the limits of the Civil and Military Station Municipality

I have the honour to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

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for President

(8)

Extract from the Proceedings of the Bangalore City Municipal Council, at an Ordinary Meeting held on the 31st March 1910

Present.

B J Kumaraswami Naik Esq
President.

N Subba Rao Esq
Vice President.

A. K Pani Esq
Health Officer

A Hayes Esq
Amildar, Bangalore Taluk

Absent

D.Sitarama Rao Esq
Executive Engineer,
Bangalore Division

Municipal Councillors

Messrs

I Bronson
B Gangiah
D B Ramachandra Moodr
B K Garuda Char
B Ramachandrappa
B Basappa
D Adeppa
B V Ramaswami Chetty
Mir Md Gows Rzvi
H Ramaiya
B Hanumappa
C Krishnamurti
Beli Sreenivasa Rao
S venkatarangiengar
D Venkataramayya

Messrs

C S Doraswami Iyer

G H Krumbiegel

M Subbiah

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5 General and Revenue Secretary's letter No 4962 MI 352 09-5, dated the 9th December 1909 forwarding copy of the Sanitary Commissioner's letter No 2105 dated the 17th November 1909 to raise the level of the land to the West of the Sydney Road, for consideration along with the question of deepening the Sampige Tank in the City

Resolution -Deferred till a report is received from the Municipal Engineer

2 In the meanwhile, the Health Officer will arrange to oil the swamp to prevent malaria

Sd B J Kumaraswami [illegible],
President

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President

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File No 354/09

Serial No. 7

Diary No of letter replied to 7751

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No 10152

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General and Revenue Secretariat
(Municipal)
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To

The Sanitary Comm^r (6)

Date of issue 9 5 10

Signed by [illegible]

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No 6898 & 9-2-1910 regarding the deepening of the Sampangi tank and improving the sanitation of its neighbourhood, I am directed to forward hereweth, for your information copy of letter No 244 & 21-4-1910 ~~together~~ from the Pres^dt of the Bangalore City Munpl Council together with a copy of the Munpl Councils' resolution in the matter.

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For Offg Secretary

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Serial No

Diary No of letter replied to 7757

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Sent

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Municipal)
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To

(7)

The First Ass^t to the Hon'ble
the Resident in Mysore

Date of issue 9-5-10

Signed by
Mr. Lal Bulasundaraming

Please copy para 1 & 2 of the letter.

Sir,

I am directed to forward herewith an extract of para 1 & 2 from letter No 21 05 & 17 11 09 from the Sanj Con^t with the Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, inviting attention to the malarious swamp that is annually reproduced on the eastern side of the road to the east of the Sampangi tank in the Bangalore City and to request that the authorities of the C.A.M. Stn within which the said swamp [illegible] may be moved to take the necessary action in the matter

I have &c.
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Offg Secretary

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Extract of paras 1, 2 of Sanitary Cm letter no 21 GS D/ 17/11/09 SJ

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GPB—16,000—28-5-09

No. 5756
Enc.

OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

D 8600 (11)

Dated, Bangalore, the 28-5- 1910

Ml 354-09/8 9

From

LT.-COL. JOHN SMYTH, M.D, I M S,
Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

To

C. S. Balasundram Iyer Esq, B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments,
BANGALORE.

(8)

Sir,

With reference to correspondence ending with your letter No. 10152 Ml.354-09 dated the 9th May 10 forwarding copy of letter No. 244 dated the 21st April 10 from the President, C.M.C. Bangalore regarding the deepening of the Sampangi tank etc together with the council's resolution thereon, I have the honor to state that my proposal involves treatment of the entire bed of the tank including the leased portion - which would doubtless have to be dealt with later. But the permanent reservation of that fine tank for storage of water should not be lost sight of The Civil and Military authorities might be addressed on the subject of the swamp on that side of the road - but that item is by far the least part of the work that has to be attended to.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

For Sanitary Commissioner.

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Public Health Department.

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From

The Sanitary Commissioner
to the Government of Mysore

To

The Secretary to the Govt of H H the
Maharaja of Mysore, Gen. & Rev Depts
Bangalore

Dated
Despatched } 28-5-00
Received
General No 5756

Enclosure No nil

Re- dispersing of the
Sumpungi Tank

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File No. 354/09.
Serial No. 11

Diary No. of letter replied to 8600

No. 11038 -
ml 354-09 -
29.6.10

General and Revenue Secretariat
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To The President, Bangalore City
Municipal Council

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Date of issue 29.6.10

Signed by Mr BTK

Sir,

With refce to the correspondence ending with your letter No 2444 dy 21-4-1910 regarding the deepening of the Sampaiya tank and the raising of the level of the land to the west of the Sidney Road, I am directed to forward herewith a copy of letter No 5756 dy 28-5-1910 from the Tany Commr to the Govt. of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore, and to request that ~~the matter may be~~ considered by the ~~Municipal~~ Council ~~clean [illegible]~~ and their opinion ~~submitted to Govt.~~

I have &c.,
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For Chief Secretary
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~~[illegible]~~ action may be taken as already reported in your letter referred to above and the result reported to Govt.

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Memo 11039 (3)

Copy forwarded to Mr Sawy Commr with refce to his letter No. 5756 & 25.5.1910.

By Order,

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For Offg. Secy

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II FR 23.6.10 No. 3839 2 3 Pol: 2001 D 23-6-10.

FROM

MAJOR W G GREY, I A, B. 9129
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 23rd June 1910.

SIR,

With reference to Mr Balasundaram Iyer's letter No. 947-Pol., dated the 9th May 1910, regarding the malarial swamp on the east of the Sampangy Tank Road, I am directed to forward herewith a copy of a letter No.1205, dated the 6th June 1910, from the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military -- Station of Bangalore, (together with the enclosures received -- therewith) and to request that the -- Resident may be favoured at an early date with the views of the Durbar in the matter.

x return requested.

2. It will be seen that the Municipal Commission are most anxious to meet the wishes of the Durbar and to get rid of a -- swamp which constitutes a common danger to the health of the City and the Station Mr Fraser hopes that the Durbar's co-operation, in the method in which it is invited, will be forthcoming, as the only practicable way of achieving the drainage of the swamp in question and also as being consistent with the -- views of the Mysore Sanitary authorities as to the best way of treating

treating the main Sampangy Tank in future.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

for First Assistant Resident.

K.M.

(16)

Letter No.1205, dated the 6th June 1910, from the --- President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore, to the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore.

With reference to your No. 2957 of 17th ultimo, calling for a report on the action taken with regard to the malarial swamp on the East of the Sampangy Tank Road, I have the honour to report that the matter was referred by me to the Health Committee in October 1909, and the Health Committee, after inspecting the Tank on November 10th, passed a Proceedings unanimously and emphatically condemning the existing state of things-copy of their resolution is enclosed.

2. The exigencies of His Excellency the Viceroy's visit, precluded further action in December, and I had arranged with the President of the City Municipality for a personal inspection on January 4th when I was laid up with enteric. During my absence nothing further was done. A Conference was held on the spot on 29th April 1910, which was attended by the President of the City Council and the City Health Officer, Municipal --- Engineer, and the Sanitary Engineer to the Mysore Government. It was agreed by all present that the only satisfactory way to get rid of the nuisance was to divert the supply channel which at present crosses the eastern arms of Sydney and Seshadri Roads, and carry it across the northern arms of Sampangy Tank Road and the western arms of Seshadri and Jail Roads, directly into the main Sampangy Tank and entirely closing the existing culverts on the Sydney Road and Sampangy Tank Road by which the water at present finds access through the "Swamp" to the main Tank. I enclose a sketch of the proposed diversion showing the boundary between City and Station

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Or

4 On the 3rd instant the tank was again inspected, this -- time by the Hon'ble the Resident and by Colonel Smyth, Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, and again the diversion scheme was in principle approved of

5 I would point out that there appears to be complete unanimity of opinion with the Civil and Military Station Health Committee, the Sanitary Commissioner, Mysore, and the Presidents of both Municipalities -

(1) that the "swamp" is a danger to health, and

(2) that the best way to solve the problem is to --- divert the supply channel

6 The existence of the swamp is a matter beyond the control of the Civil and Military Station authorities It is due not only to the fact that the main supply channel of the tank runs through Station land, but still more to the ponding back of Sampangy Tankwater when the tank is filled If we drain the swamp we shall ipso facto drain the main tank too and this the Durbar authorities are unwilling to do If, on the other hand, we attempt to prevent ponding back we should cut off the supply altogether If the supply channel be diverted as proposed, we can easily hold ourselves responsible for the proper draining of the "swamp"

7 Except for a very short distance, the channel lies wholly in Durbar land and if it were diverted it would pass its entire length through Durbar land Hence the work cannot very well be carried out by us We have not been in a position to ascertain exactly what the scheme would cost, but, as the matter deeply concerns the health of the Station Municipality, I should be prepared to recommend to the Commission that a contribution might reasonably be made towards the cost from the Commission funds, and the materials of our two existing culverts could -- readily

readily be placed at the disposal of the Durbar if they think fit to utilize them

6 I submit that in view of the general concurrence of opinion detailed above the Durbar might very well be addressed with a request to give effect to the proposals

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Registrar,

Mysore Resident's Office

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(19)

Proceedings of a Meeting of the Station Health Committee held near the Sampangy Tank on Wednesday the 10th November 1909 at 8 30 A.M.

Present.

Major R.P.Standage I.M.S.,
C.Haudin Esquire
B.P.Annasawmy Mudaliar Esquire R.B.,
V.A.Rajaretnam Mudaliar Esquire

The Health Officer and the Executive Engineer of the Station Municipality attended the Meeting.

Read letter No.3286 of 6th October 1909 and its enclosures from the President Municipal Commission Civil and Military Station of Bangalore.

The Committee having inspected the place are of opinion that the field the flooding of which is complained of by the Revd.Father Proper, is in a highly insanitary state and likely to form a breeding place for mosquitoes and to render the surrounding bungalows unhealthy. The Committee are unanimously of opinion that this field should be drained and that arrangements be made with the Government of Mysore to regulate the height of the neighbouring Sampangy tank.

10-11-1909.

(Sd) R.P.Standage Major I.M.S.,
Chairman H.C.
,, C Haudin
,, B.P.Annasawmy Mudaliar
,, V.A.Rajaetnam Mudaliar

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File No. 354/09

Serial No. 12

No. of letter replied to 9129

No 390-3

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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of issue 15 7 10

Signed by Mr Kan

To (1) The President, Bangalore City Municipal Council.

(2) The Dy Commr, Bangalore Dt

(3) The Chief Engineer

(4) The Sanitary Commr.

(11)

Sir,

With refce to the question of deepening the Sampange tank and raising the level of the malarious swamps to the west of the Sidney Road and to the east of the Sampange Road, I am directed to forward herewith copy of letter No 1205-8, 6-6-1910 from the Presdt of the Mcl Commn, C & M. Stn., Bangalore, and to request that you will be so good as to submit your views in the matter at an early date.

2. In this connection, I am to

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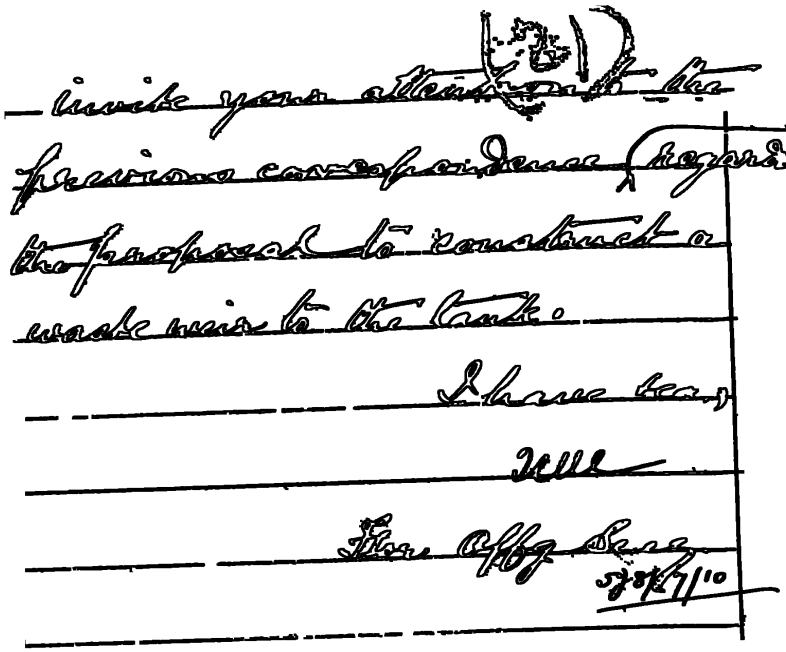

invite your attention to the previous correspondence regarding the proposal to construct a waste weir to the tank.

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Fore Affg Secy
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Received one sketch referred to in The C & M Sdy Dnl Presidents letter no 1205 8/6/6/1910.

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22/7/10

Last of enclosures,

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OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, the 30th July 191

From P.S.Achyuta Rao Esq,
~~Lt.Col. JOHN SMYTH, M.D., I.M.S.,~~
Offg *Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,*
BANGALORE

Ml 354-09/81- (12)

To

C.S.Balasundram Iyer Esq, B A ,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments,
BANGALORE

Sir,

With reference to your No 390-3 Ml 354-09-12 dated 15th Inst re the question of de pening the Sumpangi tank &c , I have the honor to request that the entire file of correspondence mentioned in para 2 thereof may be kindly forwarded for perusal and return

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

V Mathew Sawney Jess

Offg Sanitary Commissioner
MKG

Public Health Department.

From

The Sanitary Commissioner
to the Government of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of H.H. the
Maharaja of Mysore, Gen. & Rev. Depts.
Bangalore.

Dated 20th July 1910.

Despatched

Received

General No. 520

Enclosure No. Nil

Re the question of despa[illegible]
the Sampangi tank.

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File No. 354
Serial No 09.

No of letter replied to 773

and Revenue Secretariat
(Municipal)
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Date of issue 10-8-10

Signed by [illegible]

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No. 1388
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& 10-8-10

To The Sanitary Commr

(13)

Sir,

As requested in your letter No. 520 & 30-7-1910, I am directed to forward herewith for reference and return the marginally noted files regarding the Sampange tank in the Bangalore City

I have to say,
[illegible]
For offg Secy
[illegible] 5/8/10

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OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE.

(24)

Dated, Bangalore, the 8th September 1910

From P.S. Achyuta Rao Esq.,
~~Lt-Col. JOHN SMYTH, M.D., I.M.S.,~~
Offg Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE

Ml 354-09
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(14)

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.,
Offg. Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments,
BANGALORE.

Sir

In reply to your No 390-3 Ml 354-09-12 dated the 15th July 1910, I have the honor to state that though I have carefully studied the entire file connected with the question re- Sampangy tank there are certain technical points in relation to Mr F J Richard's suggestion to deviate the supply channel that I should like light thrown upon during a free discussion with an expert engineer

I would suggest therefore the Chief Engineer - the Sanitary Engineer - the President of the City Municipality and myself meet of a morning and thoroughly discuss the question in all its bearings on the spot and submit a conjoint report

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

C. S. Achyutarao

Offg Sanitary Commissioner

P H

Public Health Department.

1910-11.

From
The Sanitary Commissioner
to the Government of Mysore

To
The Secretary to the Govt of H H the
Maharaja of Mysore, Gen. & Rev Depts.
Bangalore

Dated } 8-9-10
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General No 1222

Enclosure No –

Suggesting that the question of improving tank will be discussed at a meeting.

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File No 354-09.

Serial No 14

Diary No of letter replied to 1656.

Proceedings of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore.

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT
(Sampgi)

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Date of issue 23.9.10

Signed by M K M A

(1) The Chief Engr
(2) " Sany "
(3) " Presdt, Bangalore City Mk Council
(4) " Sany Commr.

READ— Letter No 12222, 8.9.1910 from the Sany Commr with the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore stating with refce to the question of ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ ~~[illegible]~~ diverting the supply channel of the Sampangi tank, that there are certain technical points requiring a free discussion with an expert engineer and suggesting that the marginally noted officers may be requested to meet and discuss the question in all ~~in all~~ its bearings on the spot and submit a joint report in the matter.

~~ORDER THEREON.~~ No.

Order thereon

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Order Thereon. 2915-9 ml 354-09- 23.9.10.

The Sany Comm^rs suggestion is approved. The officers named above and the Sup^t of Rev: Survey are requested to meet and discuss the question thoroughly and ~~[illegible]~~ submit a ~~joint~~ report in the matter. The connected records have been already sent to the Sany. Comm^r.

Hill

For Off. Secy.
20/7/10

To

The Sany Comm^r
" Chief Eng^r
" Sany "
" Pres^t, Bangalore City Mk Council
" Sup^t of Rev: Survey in Mysore.

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[illegible] Krishna Murthy
22-9-10

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No. 5670

Res: 484
20-9-10

From Major W. G. Grey, I.A.,
The FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE.

To

The Dewan of Mysore

(16)

Dated Bangalore, the 20th September 1910

Subject

Regarding the malarial swamp on the east of the Sampangy Tank Road

No. 3839. dated 23rd June 1910

~~Subsequent Reminder~~
~~No. dated~~

Sir,

I am directed to invite attention to the communication noted on the *margin and to request the favor of an early reply

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

W. G. Grey Major,
First Assistant to the Resident

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Serial No

Pol No 359

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To

The 1st Asst to the Hon'ble
The Resident in Mysore.

Sir

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 3839 & 23rd June 1910 and subsequent reminder No 5670 & 20.9.1910, regarding malarial swamp on the east of the Sampangi Tank Road and to state that the question of ~~dealing with the swamp~~ the supply has been referred to a Committee consisting of the marginally noted officers for ~~inspection and~~ report. On receipt of their report, a further communication will be made to you on the subject.

I have &c,
[signature]
Secretary
[illegible]

a) The Sany Commr
" Chief Engr
) " Sany "
h) " Pres, Bangalore City Munpl Council
" Supt, Mysore Revenue Survey

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General and Revenue Secretariat
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To

Date of issue 18.11.10

Signed by mr kmr

Sir,

I am directed to invite attention to Govt. Progs. No 2915-9/ml 354-09-14 dy 23 [illegible] 1910 re ~~[illegible]~~ Sampangi Tank in the Bangalore city, and to enquire when the report of the Committee appointed therein may be expected

proposed diversion supply channel ~~[illegible]~~

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For Offg. Secy
dy 14/11/10

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OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, the 24th November 1910

From

JOHN SMYTH, MD, IMS,
Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE.

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments,
BANGALORE.

Sir,

In reply to your No. 4200/M.L. 354-09 dated 18 11 10 enquiring when the report of the committee appointed in connection with the question of diverting the supply channel of the Sumpungi Tank may be expected, I have the honor to forward for information copy of D.O. No. 150 dated the 10th Instant from the Chief Engineer on the subject.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

For Sanitary Commissioner

P.S.

Public Health Department.

1910-11

From

The Sanitary Commissioner
to the Government of Mysore.

To

The Secretary to the Govt of H.H. the
Maharaja of Mysore, Gen & Rev Depts
Bangalore

Dated } 24-11-10
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General No 2402

Enclosure No One

Forwarding copy of D.O. No 150 dated the 10th instt. recd from the Chief Engineer of Mysore re, the question of diverting the supply channel of Sunfunga Fan

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Copy of D.O. No. 150 dated the 10th Instant
from the Chief Engineer to the Sanitary Commissioner to Govt

My dear Smyth,

Your D.O. No. 51 of even date.

You may recollect that we asked Mr. Bhore to take levels and submit a report. He has not done his work yet.

As soon as his report comes to hand, I shall communicate with you.

Yours sincerely,

Sd/- M. Visvesvaraiya.
Chief Engineer.

" Copy "

For Sanitary Commissioner.

P.H.

No (32) Pol 1121

Dy 9-1-11

FROM

P B WARBURTON, Esq, I C S,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE

To

The Dewan of Mysore

20

Dated Bangalore 9th January 1911

SIR,

I am directed to invite a reference to Mr Balasundaram Iyer's letter No 359 Pol, dated the 22nd October 1910, regarding the question of diverting the supply channel of the Sampige Tank and to enquire when the further communication promised therein may be expected to be received in this office

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant

First Assistant Resident

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File No 354-09

Serial No.

Diary No of letter replied to

No. 6043

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Municipal)
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Date of issue

Signed by

To
The Sanitary Comm^r

Sir,
Referring to the correspondence ending with your letter No 2402 & 24 I am directed to request you to be so good as to state when the report called for in the Govt. Proc. No 29 Mil 354-09 & 3.9.10 regarding diversion of the feeder channel of the Sampangi tank, may be expected.

I have &c

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For Offg Secy.

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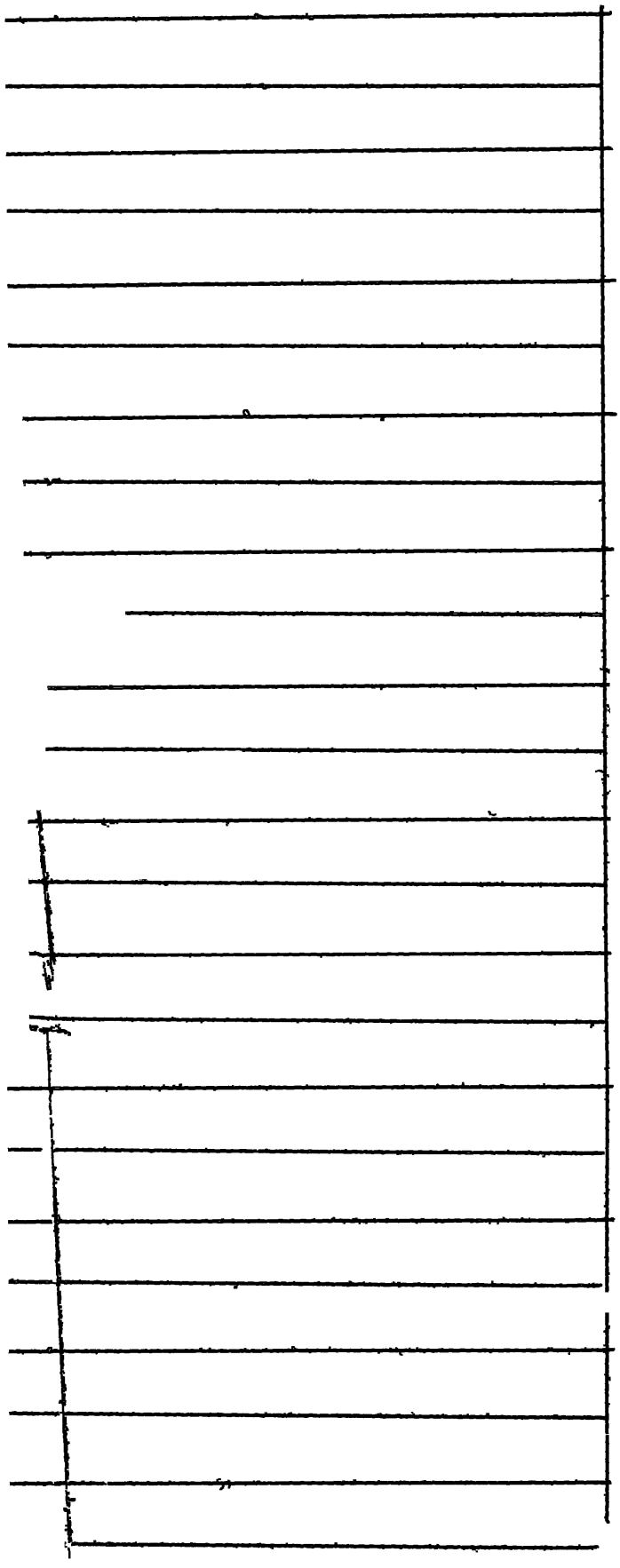

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Office of the Deputy Commissioner,
Bangalore District

Dated Bangalore, 3rd February 1911

From

B J Kumaraswami Naik, Esq , B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

To,

C.S.Balasundaram Iyer, Esq , B.A.,
Offg Secretary to Government of His Highness
the Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue
Departments, Bangalore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 390-3/Munl 354-09-12
ed the 15th July 1910, calling for an expression of my views
ding the proposal to deepen the Sampige tank-bed and also
aise the level of the malarial swamps to the west of the --
ey road and to the east of the Sampangi Road, I have the honor
ate that it is ascertained that the said question is also
ging the consideration of the Bangalore city Municipal Council
that it has been aarranged that that the Sampangi tank, as also
surrounding malarial swamps should be inspected by the Munici-
Councillors in company with the Executive Engineer, Bangalore
ision and their joint report submitted for the consideration of
Council. As the cost of the proposed works has to be either
ly, or partially met from the Funds of the City Municipality, the
ipt of the copies of joint-report referred to above and of the
lution of the Municipal Council thereon are awaited , and on
r receipt the question will be gone into along with the pro-
to construct a waste-weir to the tank and my final report in
matter will be submitted

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant

Deputy Commissioner

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From

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The Secretary to

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Dated 3.2.11. Depts B

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General No.

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Enclosure No.

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Bangalore city.

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21-2-11 Rm. Secy. 22-2-11

FROM

P. B. WARBURTON, Esq., I. C. S.,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

23

Dated Bangalore, 21st February 1911

SIR,

I am directed to invite attention to the correspondence ending with this office letter No 120, dated the 9th January 1911, regarding the question of diverting the supply channel of the Sampige Tank and to request that the Resident may be informed how the matter now stands

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

P B Warburton

First Assistant Resident.

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File No 354-09

Serial No

13/11

Diary No of letter replied to

No. 7462

ml 354-09

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General and Revenue Secretariat

(Municipal)

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To The Sanity Comm. (24)

In contn of this office letter No 6043 of 18.1.1911 I am directed to request you to be as good as to state when the report called for in Govt Progs No 2915-9/ml 354-09 3-9.1910 regarding the diversion question of diverting of the feeder channel of the Lampanga Tank may be expected and how the matter now stands. The favor of a very early reply is requested.

I have, &c.

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For Offg Secy

over

Date of issue 13.3.11

Signed by Mr KMR

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IV
23-3-11 Mr. No. 1792 (37)

FROM

P B Warburton Esqr I C S
THE FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE

To

The Dewan of Mysore

Dated Bangalore, the 23rd March 1911

°Subject
Regarding the diversion of the supply channel of the Sampige Tank

No. 1000 dated 21st February 1911

~~Subsequent Reminder~~
~~No. dated~~

SIR,

I am directed to invite attention to the communication noted on the °margin and to request ~~the favour of~~ that the Resident may be favoured with a reply at an early date

I have the honor to be,
SIR,
Your most obedient servant,

P B Warburton

First Assistant to the Resident

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File No 354-09

Serial No

Diary No of letter replied to 5470

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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To

(1) The Sany Comm^r

(2) Chief Engr

Date of issue 27-3-11

Signed by [illegible]

Sir, I am directed to

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°2915-9/ml 354-09 23.9 1910

re the question of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank, and to request you to be so good as to expedite the submission of the report therein called for as a reply is due to the Residency and constant reminders are being received on the subject.

I have &c.

For Offg Secy

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Serial No

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Bol No 886

(27)

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Municipal)
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To
The 1st Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

Date of issue 5-4-11

Signed by
Mr C S Balasundaramiyar

No 1000 & 21-2 1911
-1792 & 23 3 1911

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 1208 & 9-1-11 and subsequent reminders noted in the margin enquiring when the further communication promised in this office letter No Bol 359 & 22-10 1910 regarding the ~~malarial swamp on the east~~ of diverting supply channel of the Sampange Tank ~~Road~~, may be expected, and to state in reply that the

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report of the Committee referred to in my last letter is being awaited. [illegible] Urgent reminders have been issued [illegible] to the Chief Engineer and the [illegible] Commissioner [illegible] them to expedite the submission of the report. ~~A further communication will be sent to you soon after the receipt of the above report.~~

I have, &c.,

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Secy to Govt., Gen. & Rev. Dept.

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FROM

P B WARBURTON, ESQ, I C S,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE

To

The Dewan of Mysore

28

Dated Bangalore, 2nd May 1911

SIR,

With reference to the correspondence ending with Mr Balasundaram Iyer's letter No 886-Pol , dated the 5th April 1911, regarding the question of diverting the supply channel of Sampangy Tank, Bangalore, I am directed to forward herewith, for the information of the Durbar, a copy of a letter No 516, dated the 28th April 1911 from the President of the Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, and of its enclosures on the subject

2 In the circumstances now brought to notice by Mr Richards, I am to say that the Resident will be much obliged if the Durbar will kindly give their early attention to this question, and favour him with information as to ho

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the matter now stands.

I have the honour to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

First Assistant Resident.

K.M.
1.5.11.

(43) Quoto Nil File

Letter No 516, dated the 28th April 1911, from the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, to the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore

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In continuation of my No 4369, dated 5th December 1910, and No 14 & June 10, I have the honour to enclose a Resolution of the Commission passed yesterday, together with a letter from Major C Hudson I M S, acting Residency Surgeon drawing attention to the serious danger caused to the health of the Station by the delay on the part of the Durbar authorities in taking action on what is recognised on all sides as a menace to human life

I feel sure that, if the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore were fully aware of the urgency and seriousness of the problem, they would give their earliest attention to its solution, and I earnestly request that early steps be taken to invite their attention to the gravity of a situation which is bound to grow more serious as the summer proceeds

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Proceedings of an Ordinary Meeting dated 27th April 1911

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10 Question of draining the Sumpangy Tank the Standing Committee suggest that the Hon'ble the Resident be requested to invite the attention of the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore to the serious menace to the health and life of the inhabitants of the Civil and Military Station due to the delay in disposing of the question

Resolved that the recommendation of the Standing Committee be accepted

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Letter H. No. 275, dated 21st April 1911 from the Residency Surgeon, Bangalore to the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, Bangalore.

I have the honour to bring to your notice that a malarial outbreak, which threatens to spread widely, has occurred in the Sampangey Tank area.

No fewer than 15 cases of malaria have occurred recently in houses situated around or near the tank.

Unless some steps are taken to deal with this matter at-once, I consider that there is certainty that Malaria will spread over an ever increasing area and that the health of residents living in this quarter of the Station will suffer in consequence.

The fault clearly lies with the semi-drained portion of Sumpangey Tank, and steps should be taken to completely drain this, and to stop in future any further water entering this part of the tank.

The storm water which at present enters this portion of the tank, and flows under the road into the larger tank should be diverted into the larger tank direct, and the conduit under the road blocked up

The larger tank would thus be better filled and the smaller tank thoroughly drained. At present it is semi-drained, swells

abominably, and is giving rise to an outbreak of Malaria which threatens to become a source of danger to human life

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Copy

G. S. Tirumalacharya

Registrar, Mysore Resident's Office

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File No 354

Serial No

Diary No of letter replied to

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General and Revenue Secretariat
(Municipal)
, the 19

Date of issue 10 5.11

Signed by [illegible]

To The Sany Comm^r

Sir,

In continuation of this office letter No 7998 & 27-3 1911 regarding the question of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank, I am directed to forward herewith copies of letter No 5168 & 28-4-1911 from the Pres^dt, Ml Com^r, C & M Station, and its enclosures and to enquire when the report called for in ~~this office~~ Govt. Progs No 2915-9/ml 354-09 & 3 9-~~1911~~ 1910 may

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For Offg Secy.

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OFFICE OF N ARY COMMISSIONER
IN MYSORE,

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Dated, Bangalore, the 9 5 1911

Ml 354-09-ml

From

Lt-Col. JOHN SMYTH, M.D., I.M.S.,
Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE

To

C. S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B. A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments,
BANGALORE

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Sir,

In reply to your letter No 7998½ Ml 354-09 dated the 27th. March 1911 re the question of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank, I have the honor to enclose herein for the information of Government copy of letter No. 3797 dated the 4th Instant from the Chief Engineer in Mysore stating that the matter is under consideration and will be disposed of in a few days

I have the honor to be,

Sir,

Your most obedient servant,

[signature]

For Sanitary Commissioner

Public Health Department.

1910-11.

From

The Sanitary Commissioner
to the Government of .

To

The Secretary to the Govt. of H.H. the
Maharaja of Mysore, Gen. & Rev.
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General No 5072

Enclosure No 1

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Letter No 8797 dated the 4th May 1911 from the Chief Engineer in Mysore to the Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of Mysore, Bangalore

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Referring to your letter No 4435 dated the 1st Instant enquiring what stage the question of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank has reached, I have the honor to inform you that the matter is under consideration and will be disposed of in a few days

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"C o p y"

For Sanitary Commissioner.

Urgent

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No 4584 {2 notes, 1 Training

MYSORE P W DEPARTMENT,
CENTRAL OFFICE.

Bangalore. 25th May 1911.

From

M. VISVESVARAYA, Esq, M.I.C.E.,
Chief Engineer of Mysore,
Bangalore.

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Ml 354-09-16

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To

C. S Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A ,
Offg Secretary to Government,
General & Revenue Departments.

Sir,

With reference to your letter No. 390-3/Ml 354-09-12 dated the 15th July 1910, I have the honour to forward herewith a note of this date on the subject of draining the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampangi Tank

2. During our several inspections of the tank, Col. Smyth gave me to understand that he approved of these proposals generally. But, before arriving at a decision, Government might wish to be furnished with a written statement of his opinion as well as that of the Deputy Commissioner Bangalore District, in accordance with Government Order No: 2915-9/Ml 354-09-14 dated 23rd September 1910

3. Copies of this letter and of the accompanying note are being forwarded to the Sanitary Commissioner.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

[signature]
Chief Engineer of Mysore

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MYSORE P W DEPARTMEN

No. 4584

From

THE CHIEF ENGINEER OF MYS

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Genl & Rev Dept

Bangalore

Dated Bangalore, 25th Ma

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Enclosure No 3

SUBJECT

Improving the Sa

nanji Tank

RECLAMATION OF A PORTION OF THE SAMPANGI TANK BASIN ALONG THE BOUNDARY OF THE C & M STATION AND THE CITY OF BANGALORE.

This question was fully discussed by my predecessor, Mr.W.Mc Hutchin in a Note dated the 27th July 1906, copy of which is attached for facility of reference. Mr.Mc Hutchin's opinion was concurred in by Col.Grant, the then Survey and Settlement Commissioner. Thereupon, Government informed the Residency in their No.Pol 196 dated the 6th September 1906 that they did not propose to take any action in the matter.

The question was re-opened by the President of the Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, in his letter No 1205 dated the 6th June 1910 addressed to the Residency

2. The basin of the Sampangi tank has an area of 58 acres A road is taken across the original tank bed, dividing the basin into two parts The road also forms the boundary line between the City and the Civil and Military Station The eastern arm, separated by the road, measures 23 acres and lies wholly within the Civil and Military Station

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The tank water is in communication with the eastern arm by means of a culvert across the road.

Though smaller in area, the eastern arm is still the most important part of the tank, because the principal feeder passes through it and the overflow water also escapes through it

As the eastern arm represents the higher levels of the tank basin, it is very frequently dry. Water spreads over this area only during years of heavy rainfall

3. The tank overflows once in seven to ten years on an average and when this happens, the surplus water passes through the eastern arm into a tunnel across the Langford road

On account of the infrequency of this overflow, people have been encouraged to build close to the margin of the tank bed. But when the inevitable waterspread occurs in a year of heavy rainfall, the brewery and houses in the neighbourhood suffer from damp and are put to inconvenience

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4. What is considered a swamp is therefore merely a part of the basin of the whole tank and its separation from the main tank means a reduction of the original basin According to a Note by Col Grant, dated the 30th July 1906, the Jail road formed the original boundary of the tank

If the eastern arm is to be reclaimed, new works, namely, a feeder channel and a fresh surplus channel will have to be constructed in some other part of the main basin.

5 In paragraph 6 of his letter, the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station, casually alludes to the suggestion for draining the tank But, the following opinion recorded by the Hon'ble the late Resident puts this suggestion out of court (vide Residency letter No 3326 dated the 9th June 1906).

"The claim of the Durbar that the Sampangi tank should receive its full supply of water may be frankly admitted x x x

"The Resident is satisfied that the construction of any kodi calculated to lower the tank level permanently will prejudiciall affect the interests of the owners of gardens holding lands under the tank bund and should not therefore be permitted"

The tank is also used by the people of the City for washing. A gleam of water on a dry plateau has many advantages which should not be ignored.

6. In the letter of the President, Station Municipality, referred to above, it is suggested that the feeder channel which is now passing through the eastern arm be diverted along the line Q R (vide plan attached) so as to be entirely within the City limits But it is not stated how the surplus water of the tank, which hitherto was passing through the ~~northern~~ Eastern arm, is to be got rid of. If a new waste weir or escape is not provided, the tank water level will rise and spread in a northerly direction, thereby converting new land into a swamp And without an escape, the dam will eventually breach The diversion of the feeder channel without other compensating work will mean only the transfer of the trou from the Cantonment to the City limits.

Eastern ?

7 Mr Bhore, Sanitary Engineer, has, under the personal instructions of the Sanitary Commissioner and myself, worked out two alternative proposals for reclaiming the eastern arm of the tank

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The first proposal is to confine the storm water to the feeder channel by raising a bank along line A.B.C. on plan. An escape will be provided by means of a weir and a circular conduit marked by line D.E through the bank at the south eastern corner of the tank. The escape water after passing through the culvert will be taken in a channel marked K.F.G.H. on plan to be excavated through private land, till it joins the principal water course in the valley.

The tank will lose a water spread of 23 acres, but otherwise this will be the most effective remedy. The estimated cost of this proposal is roughly Rs 12,000

8 A less expensive, but at the same time less efficient, alternative is to provide an escape at R.L 44 00 in the bank along line ABC referred to in the first proposal, so that during years in which water rises above R L 44 00 it may escape into the eastern arm and thence slowly through the existing tunnel marked L on plan. The estimated cost of this remedy is roughly Rs 3,869

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By providing a diversion tunnel along line marked N.P. on plan, the cost will increase to about Rs 5,797

And if a properly defined channel from C to J be constructed to prevent water spreading in the eastern arm, there will be a further addition of about Rs. 1,000 to the cost.

9 The character and effectiveness of the remedy will depend upon the money spent as explained above. The works are needed for the benefit of the area in the Civil and Military Station, and it is clear that if they are to be carried out their cost must be met by the Cantonment Authorities

In the first proposal, the approval of the Mysore Durbar is necessary to the reduction of the tank basin as well as to the construction of new escape works entirely through the City limits in order to save Cantonment land

10 The tank was inspected on several occasions by Col Smyth and myself for the purpose of suggesting

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remedial measures The surveys were carried out and the plans and estimates prepared by Mr Bhore, Sanitary Engineer Working plans and estimates will be furnished as soon as it is known what works, if any, are to be carried out

[signature]
hief Engineer of Mysore

Document accompanying-

1 General Plan of works

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Note on the proposal to construct a waste weir to the Sampangy Tank to carry off flood water so as to prevent the level of the water rising - - above 2 feet below the basement of the Brewery buildings.

The first point to be noted is that assuming the reduced level of the floor of the existing escape as - - being 50.00 the lowest level of the - - floor in the distilling room at the - - distillery is 49.58, or about 6 inches lower than the floor of the culvert.

The next point to be noted is that in order to protect the distillery from being occasionally flooded it - - will be necessary (1) to construct a waste weir probably 100 feet long with its crest at least 4 feet below the - - level of the floor of the existing - - escape, which would allow of a discharge of 570 cubic feet per second with 1½ feet head, or to build a waste weir 65 feet long with its crest 4½ feet - - below floor of existing escape to discharge the same quantity with 2 feet head.

The lowering of the crest level of the escape by at least 4 feet

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as proposed, would not only injuriously affect the spring level in the wells below the tank in years of average and deficient rainfall (for the percolation from this large body of water over an area of 58 acres, no doubt is of considerable moment in raising the spring levels below the tank for a very considerable period) but the occasional discharge of such a large body of water over the crest of the proposed weir - - must cause considerable damage to a - - portion of the gardens over which it - - would pass, there being no existing defined water course for this discharge. In regard to the silting up of the tank bed there does not appear to have been any appreciable silting up of the bed of this tank since the Cubbon Park was - - formed (1867-74) and the numerous - - ravines which previously existed - - - filled up.

In my opinion there is no necessity for the construction of the proposed waste weir, so far as the - - interests of the City are concerned, and that if carried out it would - - prejudiciously affect the spring - - level in the wells below the tank

Such floods as those of 1903 occur very seldom, in my own recollection the water has risen above the - -

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level of the Jail Road (near the - - - Distillery) only 3 times in the last - - 32 years but as the small culvert has existed where it now is since 1861 at any rate it was most injudicious to - - erect the distillery where it is, and with its floor even 6 inches below the only outlet for the discharge of - - - floods.

In my opinion the easiest solution of the difficulty would be to permanently raise the floor of the - - distillery buildings above flood level, as the monetary interests involved in the large area of gardens below the - - tank are considerably greater than - - those of the distillery buildings.

(Sd) W.McHutchin
Chief Engineer of Mysore.

Bangalore,
27-7-1906.

"True Copy"

for Chief Engineer of Mysore

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No 3296

From

P. B Warburton, Esq , I C S ,
The FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE

To

The Dewan of Mysore

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Dated Bangalore, the 22 June 1911

*Subject

Diversion of the Supply channel of Sampagy Tank, Bangalore

No 2621, dated 2nd May 1911

Subsequent Reminder
No dated

Sir,

I am directed to invite attention to the communication noted on the *margin and, at the instance of the ~~to request the favor of~~ President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station of Bangalore, to request the favour of a reply at a very early date

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

P B Warburton

First Assistant to the Resident

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Diary No of letter replied to 7070

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General and Revenue Secretariat
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To The 1st Assistant to the Hon'ble the Resident in Mysore

Date of issue 2-6-1911

Signed by
Mr C S Balasundaraminyar

Sir,

I am directed to acknowledge the receipt of your letter No 26218 2-5-1911 forwarding a copy of letter No 516 & 28 4 1911 from the Presdt of the C & M Stn Municipality and its enclosures bringing to notice the outbreak of malaria in houses situated around or near the Sampange Tank, and enquiring how

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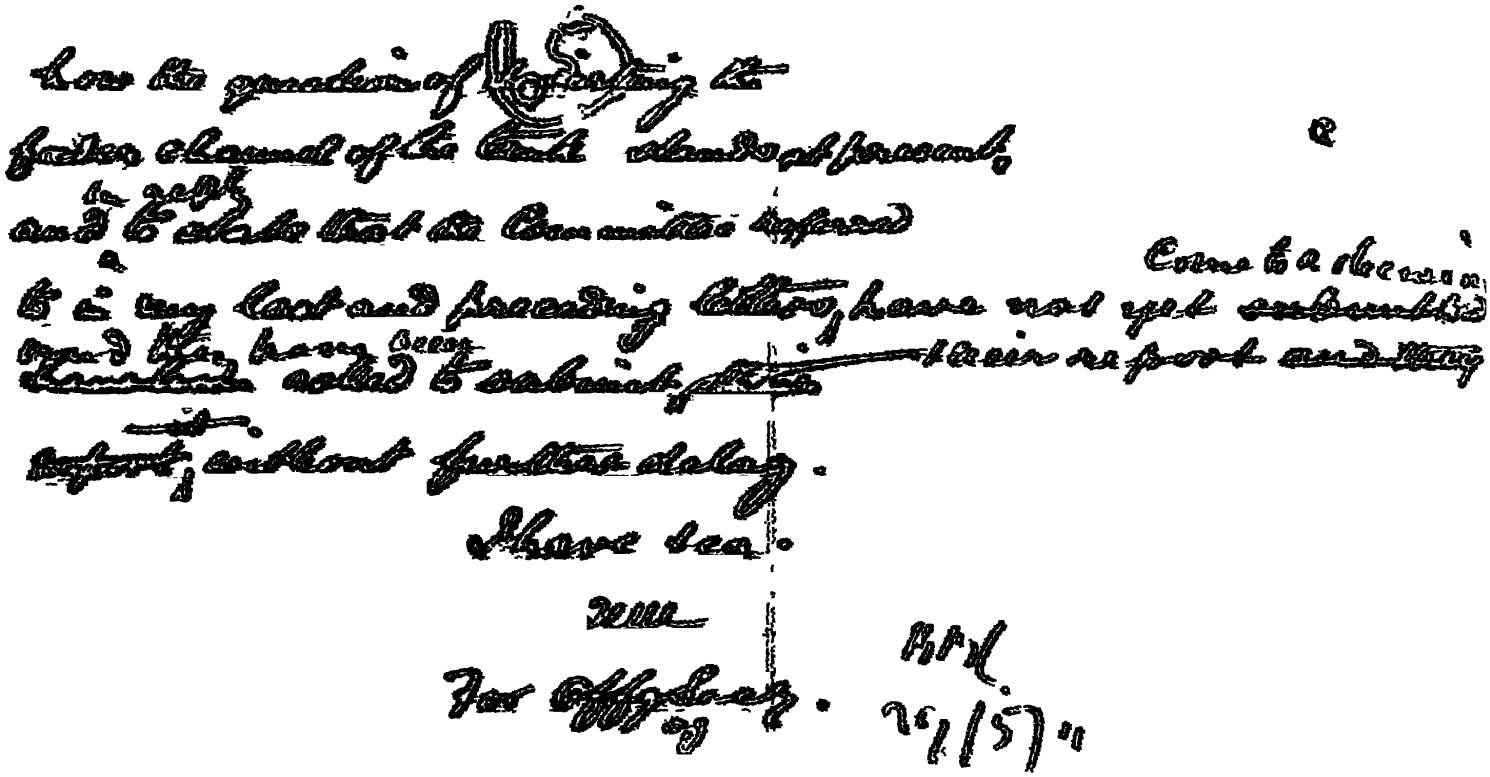

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To
(1) The Sany Comm^r (34)
~~(2) " Chief Engineer~~

Date of issue 2 6.11

Signed by Mr [illegible] S B

Sir,

I am directed to invite attention to Govt. Progs No 2915-9/Irl 354-09 & 23-9 1910 re the question of diverting the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank and to request you to be so good as to submit the report therein called for ~~in the above~~ without ~~any~~ further delay

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Ml 3524-[illegible]
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Sanitary Commissioner's office,
16th. June 1911.

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Dear Sir,

In connection with the question of the diversion of the feeder channel of the Sampangi Tank - May I ask the favor of your sending me the plan and estimates forwarded by the Chief Engineer to Government with his note of recent date? These will be returned when done with

Yours sincerely,

[signature]

For Offg Sanitary Comr

K Mylar Rao Esq , B A ,B.L ,
Assistant Secretary to Govt
Bangalore

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Diary No of letter replied to 8062

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Dear Sir,

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Date of issue 23 6 11

Signed by M K M R

Referring to your Do No 166 dy 16th June 1911 asking me to send the plan and estimates forwarded by the Chief Engr with his note on the question of the diversion of the feeder channel of the Sampangi tank, I forward herewith for reference and return when done with a plan received with the Chief Engr's note referred to. No estimate was received with the note

Yours sincerely

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To

Dr S V Ramaswamy Iyengar
Personal Asst to the Senior Surgeon

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FFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMIS
IN MYSORE,

Dated, Bangalore, the 27th June 191

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From P.S. Achyuta Rao Esq.,
~~Lt. Col. JOHN SMYTH, M.D., I.M.S.~~,
offg Sanitary Commissioner to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
BANGALORE

To

C.S. Balasundaram Iyer Esq., B.A.,
Secretary to the Government of His Highness the
Maharaja of Mysore, General and Revenue Departments,
BANGALORE

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Sir,

In reply to your No. 9985 Sany 354-09 dated the 2nd June 1911, I have the honor to state

i. As the overflow is only occassional i-e once in 7 to 10 years no action on the part of the Mysore Durbar seems necessary as had already been decided upon in 1906

ii. If people fully knowing that there will be occasional overflow into the eastern arm of the tank deliberately build breweries and houses in the neighbourhood they must be prepared to take the consequences.

III. As any action that may have to be taken will be wholly for the benefit of the area in the Civil & Military Station the entire cost of " the first proposal " suggested by the Chief Engineer in his note will have to be met by the Civil & military Station authorities - compensation will also have to be paid by them to the Mysore Durbar for the loss of a waterspread of 23 acres The plan kindly sent with your D.O. are herewith returned.

I have the honor to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant.

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Public Health Department.

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Dell } From Offg
The Sanitary Commissioner
to the Government of Mysore

To
The Secretary to the Govt of H H the
Maharaja of Mysore, Gen. & Rev Depts
Bangalore

Dated } 27th June 1911
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General No 5777

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Enclosure No one plan
with connected files

Re the question of the
diversion of the feeder channel
of the Sampangi Tank

Ml 354-09
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Office of the Deputy Commissioner
Bangalore District.
Dated Bangalore, 12th July 1911.

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From

B.J.Kumaraswami Naik, Esq., B.A.,
Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

To

C.S Balasundaram Iyer, Esq., B.A.,
Offg: Secretary to the Government of H.H.
the Maharaja of Mysore, Genl and Rev.Deptts.

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Sir,

With reference to your letter No.390-3/Ml.354-09-12 dated the 15th July 1910, calling for an expression of my views regarding the proposal to deepen the Sampangi tank and raising the level of the Malarial swamps to the West of the Sydney road and to the east of the Sampangi road, I have the honor to state that the diversion of the supply channel as proposed by the C & M Station, Municipal authorities will not, in my opinion have the desired effect of getting the locality rid of its swamp to any appreciable extent, unless the level of the malarious swamp is raised, and the benefit which is expected to be derived may not be commensurate with the enormous outlay required for the diversion of the existing supply channel. Further, as the proposed supply channel runs through the recently acquired portion of the grounds of the Cubbon Park, it is likely to interfere with the contemplated improvements to be effected in the Cubbon Park, it may, also, entail the acquisition of a large extent of valuable garden lands belonging to private persons on payment of heavy compensation.

2 I beg to invite kind reference to this office letter No. S.135 dated 6th August 1906, wherein my predecessor Mr.Sparkes, concurring with the opinions expressed by the then Survey Commissioner ([illegible] Grant) and the Chief Engineer Mr.Mc Mutchin, has already [illegible] the construction of a kodi to the Sampangi tank which was pro- [illegible] to the proprietors of the "Brewery" buildings, the

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From The Deputy Commr. Bangalore Dt.

To The Secy: to Govt. Rev & Genl. Deptt

Dated 12th } July 1911
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Expressing his views regarding the deepening of the Sampangi tank bed and raising the level of the surrounding malarial swamps

the basement of which was submerged under water during the heavy rains in 1903, was not feasible and the reasons adduced then against the construction of the Kodi still hold good.

I have the honor to be

Sir,

Your most obedient servant.

H V Ramachandra

For Deputy Commissioner.

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IV No. 4393 Pol: 156

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FROM

P B WARBURTON, Esq., I. C. S.,
FIRST ASSISTANT TO THE RESIDENT IN MYSORE

To

The Dewan of Mysore.

Dated Bangalore, 24th July 1911.

SIR,

I am directed to invite attention to the correspondence ending with Mr. Balasundaram Iyer's letter No 1056 Pol., dated the 2nd June 1911, regarding the question of diverting the supply channel of Sampangy - - Tank, Bangalore, and to enquire how the matter now stands.

I have the honour to be,
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

P B Warburton

First Assistant Resident.

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314-09 (40) Bengal Sir

D.O. No. 2780/1 file 14 Sept. 11.

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My dear Sir,

~~In regard to~~ With reference to

~~our personal conversation regarding the~~

question of the drawing of the eastern ~~of a~~ portion of the bed of the Sampang tank, by diverting the supply channel ~~ref~~ from the limits of the C & M Sgn (Vide Major Grey's letter No 3839 of 23rd Jan 1910), I send for your perusal and ~~and~~ obliging return ~~obliging return~~, the marginally noted papers in original, which will explain to you the difficulties which beset the case

Yours sincerely

(Dewan)

Col H Daly CSI, CIE

(1) The Chief Engineer Mr Visvesvaraya's Memo of 25th May 1911, with its annexure, Mr McHutchin's Memo of 27-7-06

(2) Plan of works proposed

(3) Letter No 16 of 12th Jul 1911 from the Dept Lmt, Bangalore St

Pol No 204
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D.O. No 563
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1911-1912
THE MYSORE RESIDENCY,
SECTION
FILE No. 354-09
Bangalore, 25th January 1912

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My dear Dewan Sahib,

I am much obliged to you for your D O letter No 2780, dated the 14th September 1911, on the subject of the Sampangi Tank, and I return, with thanks, the enclosures which you kindly forwarded for my perusal

The position appears to have altered since Mr McHutchin reported on the case At that time the -- important question seems to have been no far the -- Brewery had any legitimate grievance The necessity of draining the malarious swamp to the eastern side of the road was raised in the first instance by the Chief -- Sanitary Commissioner to the Durbar in his letter No 2105, dated the 17th November 1909, There appears to be no doubt that the tank itself has silted to a considerable extent, with the result that the water on the -- eastern side of the road is unable to escape into the tank and the swamp thus formed is largely due to the capacity of the tank having been reduced The main point therefore is that the whole of the area on both

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sides

sides of the road is admittedly a source of malarial infection, and from this point of view Mr Visvesvaraya's argument that the entire advantage from the drainage of the tank will accrue to the Cantonment would seem to fall to the ground The facts are -

(1) In April 1911 there was a serious outbreak of malarial fever in the bungalows which the City authorities have permitted to be erected within their limits on the low ground south and west of the Sampangi tank (2)

(2) The malaria spread to some houses in the Station limits

(3) The existance of malaria in the City bungalows is a permanent menace to the health of the Station and the City

The question therefore resolves itself into the urgent necessity of removing a source of infection which -- threatens the City and the Civil and Military Station alike I feel sure that, if the matter is explained from this important aspect, the Durbar will realise that the proposal is one of mutual benefit and that they will cooperate with the Municipal Commission of the Civil and

Military

Military Station in endeavouring to devise a remedy for the situation In all the circumstances, I should like to suggest, for your consideration, that the steps to be taken and the apportionment of the cost might be suitably discussed by Messrs Visvesvaraya and Mr Richards, with the assistence of such sanitary experts as it -- might be thought advisable to call in

T Ananda Pow, Esq , C I E ,
Dewan of Mysore

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My dear Sir,

I herewith send you the entire file of papers on the subject of improving the Sampange tank and its surroundings. The last paper on the subject is the Resident's D.O. No 563 of 26/1/12. Kindly discuss the matter further with Mr Richards as suggested by the Resident. The G.R.S. papers may be returned direct to that Secty when done with.

Yrs sincerely

(Dewan)

Mr Visvesvaraya Esq C.I.E.
Chief Engineer
& Secy, Pub Deptt

a complete of papers prepared (Pr Arup)

The problem is how the necessary improvement can be effected without prejudice to the water supply in wells under the tank upon which cultivation in a large extent of garden lands is dependent.

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D. O. No 2 916.

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GOVERNMENT OF MYSORE

Public Works Secretariat,
Bangalore, 5th September 1912.

My dear Sir,

I return the files received with your D.O letter No.3151 dated the 3rd/6th February 1912 on the subject of the proposed improvements to Sampangi tank

As desired by the Hon'ble the Resident, Mr.Richards and I met at the tank on the 7th March last and discussed the proposed improvements. Mr Richards promised to meet me again, but, after several reminders, he has written to say that the Civil and Military Station Municipality cannot afford to spend money on the work this year.

The question has been already discussed threadbare It now merely resolves itself into one of funds

The Hon'ble the Resident states that the situation has changed, since Mr McHutchin last reported on the question, in that several bungalows have been allowed to spring up in the City portion of the area through which the surplus water escapes.

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The eastern arm is the channel through which the surplus water has to flow from the tank. Perhaps this fact is not stated as clearly as it might have been in the papers sent to the Hon'ble the Resident.

We are all agreed that the tank must be allowed to exist. If the buildings, which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity, are to be permanently protected (and sooner or later this must be done), the works estimated to cost about Rs 12,000 should be carried out.

I venture to submit that a rough and ready solution of the question would be to induce the bungalow owners, in both the Civil and Military Station and the City limits, to pay one-third of the cost, the balance being shared equally between the City and the Civil and Military Station. After further discussion perhaps, the allocation of the cost might undergo slight alterations The details might be worked up in consultation with the Presidents of the two Municipalities and the bungalow owners concerned. Should the suggestion meet with your approval, further action may be taken after

consulting

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consulting the Hon'ble the Resident.

Yours sincerely,

M. Venkayya

T.Ananda Row, Esquire, C.I.E.,
Dewan of Mysore.

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PUBLIC WORKS SECRETARIAT,

Bangalore 12th March 1912

My dear Sir,

As desired in your D.O. No.3151 dated the 3/6th February 1912, I met Mr.Richards on the morning of the 7th instant at the Sampangi tank. Mr.Bhore was also present. We went over the grounds affected and discussed the several alternatives

Mr.Richards has promised to enquire whether any contribution may be expected from the Bungalow owners along the margin of the tank and to put forward proposals of a constructive nature unofficially for the consideration of the Durbar

I shall submit my recommendations as soon as I hear from him

Yours sincerely,

T.Ananda Row, Esquire, C I E ,
Dewan of Mysore.

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(19) 26.10.12

File No 352-09
Serial No 21

Diary No of letter replied to 4017

Pol No 317

General and Revenue Secretariat
(Mb:)
Dt, the 8 10. 1912

Date of issue 26 10 12

Signed by Mr K. R. Srinivasaraya

To

The Irish Assistant to
the Hon'ble the Resident
in Mysore.

Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your letter No 4393 dated the 26th July 1911 on the subject of draining the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampige tank, I am directed to state that Mr Visvesvaraya, the Durbar's

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Durbar's Chief Engineer and Mr Richards, the President of the Munb. Commission, C&M Station, went over the grounds affected and discussed fully the several alternative improvements proposed. It is reported that Mr Richards promised to enquire whether any contribution might be expected from the bungalow owners along the margin of the tank and to put forward proposals of a constructive nature unofficially for the consideration of the Durbar but and that he has since written to say that the C&M Station Municipality cannot afford to spend money on the work this year.

2) After full consideration of the circumstances of the case, the Durbar considered that

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GENERAL AND REVENUE SECRETARIAT

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that the diversion of the existing feeder channel is not necessary and that if the buildings which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently protected it will be only necessary to ~~carry out certain works~~ ~~at a cost of [illegible]~~ ~~to~~ confine the storm water to the feeder channel by raising a bank along its length ~~on the left side between~~ on the eastern side between Sidney and Lamage Roads and to provide for an escape for the surplus water by means of a weir and a circular conduit through the bank at the south eastern corner, ~~at an estimated cost of about Rs 12,000~~ [illegible]

3) The question ~~[illegible]~~ resolves itself into one of funds, and in the opinion of the Divisor a rough and ready solution would

would be to induce the bungalow owners in the C & M Station and City limits to contribute a third of the cost, the balance being apportioned between the C & M Station and City Municipalities in such proportion as may be decided later on after further discussion

(b). The Durbar are ascertaining the views of the Bangalore City Municipal Council and the owners of bungalows concerned within the City limits, and I am directed to request the favour of your ascertaining the wishes of the C & M Station Municipality and of the bungalow ~~owns~~ owners in the Station limits, if the above Chief Engineer's suggestion meets with the approval of the Hon'ble the Resident.

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General and Revenue Secretariat

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Signed by mr SPR

To

The President, Bangalore City Municipal Council

Sir,

With reference to para 3 of your letter No 244 dated the 21st April 1910 about the proposal to drain the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampangi Road, I am directed to state that in the opinion of the Chief Engineer all that is necessary is to

(protect the buildings that have sprung up in the tank bed to the east of the Sampangi Road) within the C+M Hn limits

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Carry out certain works at an estimated cost of about Rs 12,000 ie to confine the storm water to the fader channel of the tank by raising a bank along its length on the ~~left~~ eastern side between Sidney and Lampigi Roads and to provide for an escape for the surplus water by means of a weir and a circular conduit through the bank at the south eastern corner. ~~at~~ By this work the tank is expected to lose a water spread of 23 acres, but otherwise this will be the most effective remedy. The Chief Engineer suggests as a rough and ready solution of the financial problem, that the bungalow owners concerned in both the C & M Station and the City ~~to~~ may be induced ~~into~~ to contribute a third of the cost, the balance being apportioned

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apportioned between the C & M Station and the City Municipality in such proportion as may be agreed upon by the two bodies

I am to request that the Municipal Council may be consulted as to the suitability of the aforesaid proposal and as to their willingness to contribute and that the wishes of the bungalow owners within the City limits may also be ascertained in the matter and a report submitted at an early date

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D. O. No # 110

THE MYSORE RESIDENCY,

Bangalore, 11th December 1912

Do no. 7336 357 23

My dear Dewan Sahib

Will you please refer to the correspondence -- ending with Mr Srinivasiengar's letter No 317 -- Pol , dated the 26th October 1912, on the subject of draining the swamp along the Eastern margin of the Sampige tank

The matter is receiving careful attention, and the Resident hopes to say something definite very shortly

Yours Sincerely

M B Warburton

Secretary
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I Visvesvaraya Esq , C I E ,

Dewan of Mysore

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Office o the President, Municipal Council,
Banga e City, dated 31st January 1913.
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The President,
City Municipal Council,
Bangalore.

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore

Sir,

With reference to your letter No 3256 Ml 354-09 dated the 1st November 1912, calling for the opinion of the Municipal Council on the proposals made by the Chief Engineer in Mysore to drain the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampige road, I have the honor to submit herewith for orders of Government a copy of the Council's resolution dated the 25th Instant, deciding that the proposed scheme requires a thourough investigation after personal inspection of the spot by the Executive Officers of both the City and the Station Municipalities with the Chief Engineer and the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

President

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EXTRACT FROM THE PROCEEDINGS OF THE
BANGALORE CITY MUNICIPAL COUNCIL
AT an Ordinary MEETING
HELD ON THE 25th January 1913 Enc to tel 354-09
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Present	Absent
Ranoji Rao Esqr, B.A. Vice President	B J. Kumaraswami Naik Esqr B A Deputy Commissioner and President
Pani Esqr. D.P.H. &c Health Officer.	The Executive Engineer Bangalore Division.
. D.A. Rees	The Amildar, Bangalore Taluk
K.H. Ramayya, B A ,	Messrs G Rajappa
D.B Ramachandra Mudaliar	" S Venkataranga Iyengar
B. Chinnaswami Setty	
B.K Garuda Char	
" S.N. Subba Rao	
" D. Adeppa	
G. Siddaveerappa	
" B V.Ramaswamichetty, B.A	
" B. Usman Khan	
" M. Subbiah, B A ,	
" B Abdur Rahaman, B A	
" H Ramaiya	
" B Hanumappa	
" S Ramachandraswami, B A ,	
" D Venkataramayya, B A ,	
" H K Veerabasavayya, B A B L ,	

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8 General and Revenue Secretary's letter No 3256-M1 354-09 dated November 1912, intimating the proposals of the Chief Engineer of Mysore in the matter of protecting the buildings that have sprung up in th the tank bed to the east of the Sampige Road and calling for the views of the Council thereon

Also letter dated 4th January 1913 from Mr W St Clair Jonnson in reply to this office latter No.1341 dated 25th December 1912 on the ject.

Resolution - The Council is of opinion that the scheme proposed for constructing a bund and a weir requires a thorough

a thorough invest with reg-ard to the levels, acquisition of lands, cost and apportionment of cost. With a view to arrive at a correct decision, the Council is of opinion that the Chief Engineer, the Deputy Commissioner, the President, Vice President and the Municipal Engineer of the City Municipality and the President, Engineer and Health Officer of the Civil and Military Station Municipality requested to meet on the spot on some convenient date to give their opinion.

It is also resolved that the Government may be moved to request the Chief Engineer, the Deputy Commissioner and the Officers of the Civil and Military Station in this behalf.

for President.

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Proceedings of the Govt of H.H. the Maharaja of Mysore.

R e a d:-

The following communications relating to the question of draining the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampige Road.

(1) Correspondence ending with letter No. 4584 dated the 25th May 1911 from the Chief Engineer forwarding a note on the subject.

(2) Correspondence ending with letter No. 3777 dated the 27th June 1911 from the Sanitary Commissioner in Mysore.

(3) Correspondence ending with letter No.16 dated the 12th July 1911 from the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore District.

(4) Letter No. 494 dated the 5th September 1911 from the Chief Engineer reporting that the question has been discussed thread bare and that if the buildings which have sprung up between periods of short supply and apparent immunity are to be permanently - - - protected the works noted in the margin estimated to cost Rs12,000 should be carried out.

1. Confining the storm water to the feeder channel of the tank by raising a bank along its length on the eastern side between Sydney & Sampige Roads.

2. Providing for an escape for the surplus water by means of a weir & a circular conduit through the bank at the South eastern corner.

paper under disposal

(5). Correspondence ending with letter No 174 dated the 31st January 1913 from the President, Municipal Council, Bangalore City submitting a copy of the Council's Proceedings resolving that the proposed scheme requires a thorough investigation after personal inspection of the spot by the Executive Officers of both the City and the Station Municipalities with the Chief Engineer and the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist and that the Government be moved for a meeting of these officers being arranged.

Order thereon:-No. 6506-9 ml 884 09 25

Dated Bangalore, 15th February 1913

As the matter is being separately considered by the C & M Station authorities, the Chief Engineer and the Deputy Commissioner, Bangalore Dist are requested to help the Municipal Council in formulating the scheme called for.

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President, Bangalore City Municipal Council.

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for Offg. Secretary to Govt.

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Letter No. 8644, dated the 10th February 1913, from the President, Municipal Commission, Civil and Military Station of Bangalore to the First Assistant to the Resident in Mysore.

With reference to your No 6389, dated the 29th October 1912, forwarding a copy of letter No 317 Pol, dated the 26th October 1912, from the Durbar regarding the draining of the swamp along the Eastern margin of the Sampangy Tank and asking for the views of the Commission on the matter, I have the honour to forward herewith a copy of the resolution passed by the Commission at their Ordinary meeting held on the 30th January 1913 and to state that a sum of Rs 4,000 (Rs. four thousand) as detailed on the margin will be contributed towards the total estimated cost of the improvements proposed

the bungalow owners in the ivil and Military Station limits.	Rs	2,000
By the Civil and Military Station Municipality	"	2,000
Total	"	4,000

25-2-13 Copy to Durbar

No 1272

Mysore Resident's Office,
Bangalore, the 25th February 1913

A copy of the foregoing letter is forwarded herewith to the Government of His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore for information, with reference to Mr Srinivasaiengar's letter No. 317 Pol, dated the 26th October 1912

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First Assistant Resident

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Signed by Mr IGR

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No. 6660 Ind 354-09-

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To

The President of the Ind Council Bangalore city

Sir

In continuation of G O No. 6506-9 & the Ind 354-09-25 25th Feby 1913 requesting the Chief Engineer and the Dy Comr Bangalore Dt to help the Bangalore city Ind Council in formulating

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the scheme called for in regard to draining the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampige tank, I am directed to state that the President of the Mil Commr. of the C & M Station have reported to ~~contribute~~ that a sum of Rs 4000 would be contributed (as per particulars noted in the margin) towards the estimated cost of the improvements proposed.

2 I am to request that the question may engage the very early consideration of the city Mil Council & the report called for already in this office letter No. 3256 Mil (354-09)-22 of the 1st Novr 1912, expedited

I have &c

28/2/13

For Secy

Memo

(Sd.)

By the bungalow owners in the C & M Station limits — Rs 2000

By the civil & Mil Station Mil — Rs 2000

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Memo

Copy of the above is forwarded to

6661 (1) The Chief Engineer of Mysore for information

6662 (2) " DY Comm^r Bangalore for information

By Order

For Secy 28/2/4

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fice of the President, Municipal Council
Bangalore City, dated the 8th April 191

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From

Dewan Bahadur Raja Sabha Bhushana
K.P. Puttanna Chetty Esquire,
Honorary President, Municipal Council,
Bangalore City

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To

The Secretary to the Government of
His Highness the Maharaja of Mysore,
General and Revenue Departments,
Bangalore

Sir,

file - With reference to your letter No 3256/Ml 354-09) of 22
file 1st November 1912 and No 6660/Ml 354-09-27 dated the 1st ultimo, in RE the draining of the swamp along the eastern margin of the Sampige tank, I have the honor to submit herewith a copy of the Municipal Council's resolution passed at a special meeting held on the 5th instant

2 The matter was fully considered and the council are
Reg of opinion that the proposed improvement is really for the benefit of the owners of the bungalows situated in the limits of the Civil and Military Station

3 These bungalows have sprung up in what was formerly the bed of the Sampige tank The City Council, while sympathising with the wish of the Civil and Military Station authorities to improve the sanitation of this swampy ground feel that they cannot, in justice to the ratepayers of the City, devote any portion of their taxes in improving the conditions here They have other swamps to deal with in their own area, notably the swamp to the west of the Sampige tank close to the Maternity Hospital and the Durmambudi tank bed

4. The Council hope that the capacity of the Sampige

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Tank will not be reduced in any way by the proposed new works as the assessed lands behind the tank are dependent upon the percolation from the tank and the land revenue which is payable to the Municipality might be affected by short storage of water in the tank.

5. The owner of the bungalows in the City limits has declined to pay any contribution.

I have the honor to be
Sir,
Your most obedient servant,

Honorary President.

Extract from the Proceedings of the Bangalore City Municipal Council at a Special Meeting held on the 8th April 1913.

P R E S E N T.

Bahadur Raja Sabha Bhushana
P. Puttanna Chetty Esqr,
Honorary President.

Ranoji Rao, Esqr, B.A.,
Vice President.

Health Officer, Bangalore City.

Amildar, Bangalore Taluk.

D.B. Ramachandra Mudaliar,

B. Chinnaswami Chetty,

S.M. Subba Rao,

M.K. Veerabasavayya, B.A., B.L.,

B. Adeppa,

Mr. G. Siddavecappa

" B.V. Ramaswami Chetty

" B. Usman Khan,

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" H. Ramaiya,

" B. Hanumappa

" S. Ramachandraswami, B.A.,

" D. Venkataramaiya, B.A.,

" S. Venkatarangiengar,

A B S E N T.

The Executive Engineer, Bangalore Division,

Rev. D. A. Rees,

Mr. K. H. Ramayya, B.A.,

" G. Rajappa,

" B.K. Garuda Char,

"

General and Revenue Secretary's letter No. 6660-M1.354-09-27 dated the 1st March 1913 stating that the Municipal Commission of the Civil and Military Station would contribute Rs 4000/- towards the estimated cost of the scheme in regard to draining the swamp along the eastern margin of the sampige tank and requesting that the question may engage the very early attention of the Council in view to the submission of the report already called for.

Also Municipal Engineer's Memo. dated the 27th march 19133 in the matter.

Resolution.- Resolved by a majority (15 against 3) that the

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Council regret their inability to make any contribution towards the draining of the swamp in question as the proposed improvement is primarily intended for the benefit of the owners of the bungalows situated in the limits of the Civil and Military Station, which have recently sprung up in what was originally the bed of the Sampige tank.

Sd. K.P. Puttanna Chetty,
Honorary President.

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for Honorary President.

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Further communication to the Residency about financing the scheme for draining the swamp of the Sampige Tank

Pol No. 626
ml 354-9-29

To

P.B. Warburton Esq., I.C.S.,
First Assistant to the Hon'ble the
Resident in Mysore.

Dated, Bangalore, 11th May 1913.
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Sir,

With reference to the correspondence ending with your memo No. 1272 dated the 25th February 1913, forwarding copy of letter from the President, Municipal Commission of the Civil & Military Station, Bangalore, intimating that a sum of Rs. 4000 would be contributed by the Civil & Military Station Municipality and the owners of bungalows thereat, towards the total estimated cost of Rs. 12000/- for draining the swamp of the Sampige Tank, I am directed to state that both the City Municipal Council and the bungalow owner within the city limits, are unwilling to pay any contribution towards the work proposed. The Durbar will, however, endeavour to induce them to contribute Rs. 4000, if the remaining Rs. 8000 can be made available between

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between the Civil and Military Station Municipality and the bungalow owners - within the station limits.

3. The improvements, it may be noted, are primarily required in the interest of the Civil & Military Station Municipality, and, if carried out, they will lead to a loss of revenue to the City Municipal --- Council by the consequential reduction of the storage capacity of the Sampige tank. I am, therefore, to add that, unless the Civil & Military Station Municipality, owners of bungalows, agree to the arrangement suggested above, no further action appears feasible.

I have etc.,

16/5/13

for Offg. Secretary to Government.

S.R.N.